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HIKE IN FEBRUARY MEAT, LARD AND CHEESE POINTS

Beefsteak Cuts Will Advance 2 Points — Roasts, Stews and Pork Loin One.

BUTTER, OYSTERS TO REMAIN SAME

Cheddar Cheese to Go From 10 to 12—Swiss, Munster and Others Listed for Rise of 4

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP). — One to two-point hikes in the February ration point values on most cuts of beef, lamb and veal were announced by the Office of Price Administration today.

More brown stamps will be required also for all types of cheese, and the values on pork loin cuts will be one point higher next month. The ration cost of all other pork cuts will remain unchanged.

Butter continues at 16 points a pound, but there will be slightly more available, OPA said. Lard values are advanced one point to three points a pound.

The new schedule, effective Sunday, Jan. 30, calls for two-point increases on beefsteak cuts, with revised values ranging from eight to 12 points a pound. Most other beef cuts, including roasts and stews, get a one-point boost.

For veal, lamb and mutton cuts, one or two-point increases are fairly general.

Cheese Points Up.

Cheddar cheese goes from 10 to 12 points a pound in the new table, and cream cheese is raised from eight to 10 points. Swiss, Munster, bleu and other similar cheeses are up four points to a total of 12.

With the exception of oysters, which continue at present levels, all canned fish is given a four-point reduction, being listed at 12 points a pound as compared with the previous 16.

Among canned meats, dried beef is raised two points to 16 a pound, while two-point cuts are ordered for canned pork sausage, beef tongue and Vienna sausage.

Sliced dried beef in bulk gets a 14-point value, up two points a pound.

Explaining the boosts in meat point values, OPA said the total retail supply for February is estimated at 1,400,000,000 pounds, while the January total was approximately 1,600,000,000 pounds.

Pork About Half of Total.

Of the amount available for next month, pork constitutes about half the total, at around 750,000,000 pounds, the agency said.

"I want to stress the point," said Price Administrator Chester Bowles, "that we are making sure that there are enough ration points to buy up all the meat available to civilians in Feburary.

"We would rather take the chance of having too many ration points in the hands of housewives, which may cause possible local

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Colder Tomorrow

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	57	9 a. m.	62
2 a. m.	57	10 a. m.	62
3 a. m.	59	11 a. m.	62
4 a. m.	59	12 noon	62
5 a. m.	59	1 p. m.	62
6 a. m.	60	2 p. m.	67
7 a. m.	60	3 p. m.	68
8 a. m.	61	4 p. m.	69

Normal maximum this date, 39; normal minimum, 23.
Yesterday's high, 62 (5 p. m.); low, 50 (5:30 a. m.).
Weather in other cities—Page 2C.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Occasional rain this afternoon and early evening, followed by clearing and colder late tonight; tomorrow fair and considerably colder; lowest temperature tonight, 38 to 44; strong winds.

Missouri: Clearing and much colder tonight, tomorrow fair and colder.

Illinois: Rain will end this evening, followed by decreasing cloudiness tonight and mostly fair tomorrow; colder tonight, considerably colder tomorrow.

Sunset 6:16; sunrise (tomorrow) 8.11.

Stage of the Mississippi at St. Louis 0.3 feet; no change; the Missouri at St. Charles 9.6 feet, a rise of 0.3.

(All weather data, including forecast and temperatures, supplied by U. S. Weather Bureau.)



Penicillin Sent on Plea to F.D.R. Saves the Life of St. Louis Boy



—By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer

DICKIE LONG, seated in front of his home at 3115 North Fourteenth street, plays with two puppies born two days before Christmas.

DONNELL PASSED UP FOR TRUMAN ON WARSHIP SPONSOR

Governor Usually Names Choice but Senator's Daughter Will Christen the New Missouri.

By RICHARD L. STOKES
A Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—In order to name Miss Mary Margaret Truman, daughter of Senator Harry S. Truman, to sponsor the new super-dreadnaught Missouri, the Navy Department by-passed Republican Gov. Forrest C. Donnell of Missouri, and thus committed one of its rare deviations from an old and settled usage.

Battleships bear the names of states, and it has been the Navy's almost invariable custom to ask the Governor of the commonwealth thus honored to choose a lady for the privilege of breaking a bottle of champagne against the vessel's bow. In an overwhelming number of cases, the Governors have picked their own wives or daughters.

According to information reaching here, no such request was sent to Gov. Donnell by the department. He appears to have been ignored until Jan. 6, when the Governor and Mrs. Donnell were invited by the commandant of the New York Navy Yard, R. Adm. Monroe Kelly, to attend the launching ceremonies next Saturday in Brooklyn.

Missouri May Ignore Tradition.

There has been no word here that Missouri intends to honor tradition by supplying the silver service for the officers' mess which is usually presented at the commissioning. (At Jefferson City today Gov. Donnell said he had no knowledge of this tradition and had not heard from the Navy about it.)

On Jan. 13, Senator Truman wired the Governor that Miss Truman had been invited to christen the Missouri, and that she would like to have the executive's daughter serve as one of her attendants. Gov. Donnell's daughter is Mrs. C. Boyd Rogers, 55 Joy avenue, Webster Groves.

Donnell Declines for Daughter.

The Governor declined the invitations on behalf of himself, his wife and daughter, but promised to telegraph a brief message to be read at the launching. He also suggested that the Navy should invite the following Missourians to the exercises:

Robert Lee Mehornay, president of the Kansas City Chamber of

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Dickie Long, 12, Convalescing After Being Near Death of Osteomyelitis — Longs for Movie.

Paul Richard Long sat in a wheelchair in front of his home at 3115 North Fourteenth street yesterday and played with his dog and her two puppies. Three months ago, the 12-year-old lad was bedridden in De Paul Hospital, suffering from osteomyelitis, with little chance for recovery.

Then his mother, having read about the new remarkable curative penicillin, tried to obtain enough for treating him by seeking the help of the Red Cross and the Mayo Clinic at Rochester, Minn. When both organizations informed her that penicillin was produced in limited amounts and "frozen" by the Government for use among the armed forces, she appealed to President Roosevelt for release of enough of the precious drug to help the boy.

Two letters to Washington "asking if my boy could have a little of it to save his life" brought a reply from Dr. Chester S. Keefer, chairman of the National Research Council, with information on how to obtain enough of the drug for treating her son.

Simultaneously, Dr. W. Barry Wood of Barnes Hospital, also a member of the National Research Council, agreed to release some of the penicillin in his possession for experimental purposes for treating the child.

Within a short time he was transferred from De Paul Hospital to Children's Hospital where an assistant to Dr. Wood administered the penicillin treatments.

Dickie Long developed the bone infection a little more than two years ago. One Sunday night he fell from his bed. Two days later his leg began to pain severely, he recalled to a Post-Dispatch reporter, and that evening, while walking with his mother, he fainted. Doctors immediately diagnosed the disease as osteomyelitis and, following seven days at home, he was removed to hospital quarters where he remained until the week before last Christmas.

When taken to Children's Hospital Dickie was quite ill. Mrs. Lena Wilson Rose, a teacher assigned by the social service department of the public schools and the hospitals to carry on his education, said he appeared almost lifeless. For two weeks he was given injections of penicillin every three hours. Then it was changed to every four hours. Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Long both said they noticed quick improvement.

In five weeks Dickie was dismissed from the hospital with the infection cured. He is now convalescing at home and will, after a time, be able to walk again.

Dickie was cheerful as he told how much better he felt. He

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Jersey Ferry in Fog, Navigates Wrong River, Ends Up Backward

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—The good ship Catskill, as seaworthy a ferry as you would want to board, nosed out into the fog-bound North River from her Weehawken (N. J.) pier, bound for New York City, at 6:50 a. m. today.

She almost whacked into a liner, but her skipper avoided that, and the commuters breathed easier. She wound up off pier Seven in the East River, instead of Cortlandt street on the other side of Manhattan, and a Navy boat gave her bearings.

She went into reverse and ran into a mudflat off Governor's Island. Wrong shore again.

She got a wallop on her port side from a tug, which knocked part of her drain pipe awry.

She reached Cortlandt street and got itno her slip—backward.

Thankful for all things that have happy endings, the customers, after a two-hour trip that should have taken 25 minutes, backed their cars out and soon were merrily on their way to work—with a rare excuse for the boss.

Interesting work, excellent opportunity for advancement—Emerson Needs Female Typist-Clerks, Comptometer Operators now. Experience preferred. Emerson Electric Mfg. Co., 417 N. B'dway. (Adv.)

SHOOTS BROTHER IN MOVIE, IS FOUND WOUNDED IN PARK

William Kaimann Apparently Turns Revolver on Self After Row in Theater Office.

DEFEATED IN VOTE OF STOCKHOLDERS

Clarence Kaimann Says Relative Fired Two Weapons—Both Men in Critical Condition.

Clarence Kaimann, North St. Louis theater operator, was shot and wounded seriously in the office of his O'Fallon Theater, 4026 West Florissant avenue, last night by his brother, William J. Kaimann, who then apparently shot himself in nearby O'Fallon Park. The condition of both was described as critical.

Clarence Kaimann told police his brother, armed with a pistol and a revolver, shot him three times in an argument that followed a stockholders' meeting. William Kaimann was found an hour later in his automobile with a bullet wound in his head and a revolver beside him.

Tells of Quarrel.

In a statement to police at City Hospital, where the brothers were taken, Clarence Kaimann related that William entered his basement office about 7:30 o'clock, sat on the desk, and said:

"You have cheated me again."

Clarence Kaimann said he inquired how he had cheated his brother and cited to him results of a vote at the meeting. With that, he asserted, William called him a vile name and said: "I'll kill you."

"He then pulled out an automatic pistol," Clarence Kaimann related, "and shot me in the left arm. I tried to take the gun away. I pushed into him and he dropped the gun. Then I fell on top of him and got the gun away. He got up and pulled another gun and shot me, I think twice more.

"I tried to run," he continued. "He pulled the trigger twice but the gun did not fire. I ran upstairs. Joseph Pelley, an usher, ran to me. My brother went out the main entrance."

Found Unconscious in Park.

A watchman, investigating an automobile parked in the southeast part of the park an hour later, found William Kaimann unconscious with a wound in the right side of his head. One loaded and four discharged cartridges were in a revolver on the seat.

Clarence Kaimann told police his brother had threatened his life on numerous occasions but had seemed in good spirits following the meeting yesterday morning. Stockholders who attended, he said, in addition to himself and

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TWO BOYS PLAYING HOOKY HELP AVERT RAILROAD WRECK

9-Year-Olds See Open Switch and Tell Grown-Up; Will Be Rewarded at School Assembly.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 27 (AP).—"Hey, look! The switch is open."

"Yeah, just like on my electric train."

"Gee, if a train comes along—bango."

Robert Mulnick Jr. and Norman Burns, each 9 years old, had this conversation yesterday at a railroad track. They told Harold Haufiaire of the Airco Corp. plant nearby, who informed railroad men. They stopped a freight train that probably would have jumped the switch and smashed into the war plant.

Today the boys will be awarded $50 war bonds at a student assembly in their school.

P. S.—They were playing hooky at the time.

NIGHT PHONE RATES AT 6 P. M. TO CUT LONG-DISTANCE COSTS

Reduction Placed at $5,600,000 Is Expected to Benefit Service Men and War Workers.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—The Bell Telephone System has agreed to an annual reduction in interstate rates of about $7,950,000 effective March 1, the Federal Communications Commission announced yesterday.

Most of the reduction—about $5,600,000—will result from an agreement to place the night long-distance rate in effect at 6 p. m., instead of 7 p. m.

The FCC, which announced the changes following negotiations with the American Telephone & Telegraph Co., said the additional hour for placing long-distance calls at the night rate is expected to benefit most the armed services and war workers away from home.

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SIEGE LIFTED, LENINGRAD 'LIBERATED'

REDS RETAKE 700 PLACES IN 13 DAYS

ALLIES BEAT OFF NAZI TANK ATTACK

5TH ARMY STOPS ENEMY'S FIRST COUNTERBLOW AT BEACHHEAD

Both Sides Moving Reinforcements to Rome Area — American and French Troops Gain on Old Front.

By EDWARD KENNEDY

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN ALGIERS, Jan. 27 (AP). — The first German counterattack against the Americans and British just south of Rome, the first of the many that probably will be made in an effort to wipe out the Allied beachhead, has been thrown back, Allied headquarters announced today.

On the old Fifth Army front, the Americans and French continued slow advances north of Cassino while the British along the lower Garigliano consolidated recent gains.

Gen. Sir Harold Alexander's Central Mediterranean headquarters announced that elements of the Hermann Goering Armored Division had been met southwest of Littoria in a "fierce local engagement." Littoria is 13 miles due east of Nettuno, four and a half miles from the coast and four miles from the Appian Way. The battle was fought in a torrential rain and hailstorm.

The Germans left 120 dead on the field as they were beaten back. The Hermann Goering Division, formerly an armored Grenadier outfit, has been strengthened by new equipment to a fully armored unit. It was last encountered on the main Fifth Army front. Its appearance on the beachhead front indicated it had been shifted to counter the threat to the German rear.

(The Rome radio said tonight that German troops had recaptured the town of Borgopiave, two miles northwest of Littoria. There had been no Allied report of the capture of Borgopiave.

(Today's German communique said that Allied attempts to expand the beachhead in attacks of "up to several battalions" had been frustrated, seven Allied tanks destroyed and prisoners taken. It reported that the beachhead was under fire of Nazi long-range artillery.)

Homer Bigart, New York Herald Tribune correspondent at the beachhead front, said the Germans yesterday morning sent several tanks and a large body of

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U. S. STEEL PAY INCREASE DEMAND SENT TO W.L.B

Steel Workers Want 17 Cents an Hour More Than Little Steel Pattern Provides.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Secretary of Labor Perkins certified to the War Labor Board today a dispute in which United Steel Workers of America (CIO) seek wage increases of 17 cents an hour above the Little Steel formula.

The case involves 22 issues on wages, working hours, vacations, holidays, sick leave and health for 200,000 employes of the United States Steel Corporation of Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Little Steel formula, established by the board in July, 1942, in a steel wage case, provided increases amounting to 15 per cent above the level of Jan. 1, 1941. The Government has since used this formula as a maximum for wage increases under a "hold-the-line" program.

NO DISTILLING OF NEW WHISKY IN U. S. THIS YEAR, WPB SAYS

Increased Demand for Industrial Alcohol by Synthetic Rubber Plants Important Factor.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—A War Production Board announcement today made it official that there will be no distilling of new whisky in the United States in 1944.

War needs will continue to require the full facilities of the distilleries, WPB Chairman Donald M. Nelson said, noting that increased demands for industrial alcohol by synthetic rubber plants was an important factor in the decision against any resumption of beverage spirits output.

He estimated 1944 industrial alcohol requirements at 632 million gallons as against 1942 consumption of 226 million gallons.

"WHAT HAS MY TELEPHONE got to do with the war effort?" When you place a long distance call, you may tie up a needed line. Please use long distance to war centers only if you must. (Adv.)

TWO-THIRDS OF ARMY TO BE OVERSEAS BY END OF YEAR

Stimson Says Many Camps Have Been Ordered Closed, Administrative Staffs Shifted to Combat Units.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—As present plans shape up, two thirds of America's steadily growing Army will be at overseas stations by the end of this year.

That was the word today from War Secretary Stimson as he announced plans for closing a number of domestic Army camps during the next few months and the transfers to combat units of a substantial proportion of the soldiers now assigned to administrative duties.

The overseas expansion program will double our forces abroad. As of the end of 1943 only about one-third of the Army had been sent outside the country.

A number of officers over 38, particularly those commissioned directly from civil life or in the National Guard and Reserve Corps, will be placed on the inactive list because "no suitable assignments are available or in prospect either at domestic or overseas installations or establishments."

"The readjustments were dictated generally by the progressive shift of Army operations from the defensive to the offensive and by the growth of air power," said Stimson.

With the peak of the training program past, the Army already has placed a number of its facilities on a standby basis, or announced that it intends to do so. The Air Forces have relinquished 69 or more establishments and the ground forces have begun to close up some of their training camps and other facilities, including Camp Atterbury, Ind.; Pine Camp, N. Y., and the induction center at Fort Hayes, O.

Stimson did not mention these specific instances, but asserted that "the Army will no longer need all its present troop housing facilities, and it will be necessary

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FREAK THAW ON LENINGRAD FRONT FLOODS STREAMS, TURNS ROADS INTO MUD

MOSCOW, Jan. 27. (AP).

A SUDDEN, freakish thaw has turned the Russian-German front below Leningrad into quagmires, muddy roads, unlocked swamps and flooded rivers, front dispatches reported today, but the Red Army kept up its great Northern offensive.

In weather, the like of which seldom has been seen in the Leningrad area, Russian troops strove mightily to clear the last small stretch of the Leningrad-Moscow trunk railway still in German hands and make possible the resumption of direct rail traffic between the Soviet Union's two largest cities.

NAZIS HAVE 'PLENTY TO EAT,' RETURN U. S. CARRIER PIGEON

Bird Captured When Yanks Were Pushed Back Over Rapido Brings Back Message.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY BEFORE CASSINO, Italy, Jan. 27 (AP). — The Germans who pushed back the first American bridgehead across the Rapido River added insult to injury before they were hurled back again.

Among their prisoners was a Yankee carrier pigeon. Two days after the bridgehead was lost the bird fluttered home with this message clipped to its leg:

"Herewith your message pigeon is returned. We have plenty to eat." The message was signed, "Some German troops."

NAZI SHIPS SHOOT ROCKETS AT BRITISH RAIDING PLANES

Germans Fire Projectile That Opens Out, Loosing Canister Attached to Parachute.

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP).—The Germans' expanding use of rocket projectiles was demonstrated yesterday when British coastal command Beaufighters attacked enemy shipping off the Norwegian coast.

"The ships fired a rocket-like projectile which opened out in the air and had a canister attached by cable to a parachute," said one airman.

The Air Ministry said the attack left one medium-sized merchant vessel and one escort ship afire and a second escort ship was rocked by an explosion. One Beaufighter failed to return.

RAMIREZ ORDERS MERCHANT FLEET TO STAY IN PORT

Action Following Axis Break Believed Taken Pending Protection Against U-Boats.

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 27 (AP). —The Argentine military government froze movements of the state merchant fleet today as one of the first follow-up actions to its diplomatic break with the Axis, all vessels being directed to remain in port "until new orders."

It was expected here, however, that the tieup would not last long, since Argentine economy largely depends on the free movement of the merchant fleet.

(Although no reason was given for the freezing order, it seemed apparent that the Ramirez government deemed it unwise to expose the vessels to the menace of any lurking enemy submarine in the South Atlantic until some provision could be made for their protection, possibly in convoys.

(Nazi submaries sank three Argentine ships in 1942 but no mention was made of these torpedoings in yesterday's official announcements concerning the diplomatic break.)

Communications Problem.

As congratulations poured in from all over the continent, the Argentine government turned to another problem attending its diplomatic break—the question of communications with Germany.

Suspension of these facilities loomed as greatly important in view of the revelations that Buenos Aires was headquarters for a giant espionage ring. It is believed that telephone communications with Germany already have been cut.

The German news agency Transocean, a powerful Nazi propaganda arm, has been notified to wind up its affairs here by Jan. 31, and it was believed that the pro-Axis afternoon newspaper Pampero, served by Trans-

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RUSSIANS REPORT GERMANS DRIVEN 40 TO 60 MILES FROM BALTIC CITY

Gen. Govorov Orders Record 324-Gun Victory Salute — Soviet Forces Take Tosno, Volosovo Rail Junctions.

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Russian Gen. Leonid A. Govorov announced today that Leningrad had been completely liberated by the two-week Red Army offensive, with the Germans driven 40 to 60 miles from the city and more than 700 nearby towns and villages freed.

A salute of 24 salvoes from 324 guns greatest of the war—was ordered fired by the guns of Leningrad for the armies, the people of Leningrad and the Red fleet. The city was under siege for more than two years.

"As the result of the fighting a task of historic importance has been solved—the city of Leningrad has been completely liberated from the enemy blockade and from barbaric enemy shelling," said a special communique broadcast by the Moscow radio. The announcement covered 13 days of the offensive.

Two Rail Junctions Taken.

Another Moscow broadcast announced the capture of Tosno, 30 miles southeast of Leningrad. It is on the Leningrad-Moscow trunk railway and is the eastern terminus of the railway to Estonia.

This communique also reported the capture of Volosovo, a rail junction 26 miles southwest of Krasnogvardeisk, and 45 miles southwest of Leningrad. More than 40 other populated places were taken.

Volosovo's capture put the Russians only 39 miles from the Estonian border.

Earlier, a Moscow dispatch reported the Russians had reached the bank of the Luga River west of Novgorod as Govorov's army and the Volkhov army of Gen. K. A. Meretskov continued to smash from opposite directions into the Germans' Baltic salient.

The Luga is only about 10 miles east of the Leningrad-Vitebsk Railway, one of the two remaining lines radiating southward from Leningrad that remain available for the withdrawal of Nazi forces. The other escape line, farther to the west, leads into Pskov and thence to Riga on the Baltic coast.

Reds Reported in Chudovo.

The big junction towns of Luban and Chudovo, below Tosno on the Leningrad-Moscow trunk railway, were reported in hourly peril from the advancing Soviet forces, and also were expected to fall soon. The Russians have cleared all except a 40-mile stretch of this railway.

(The London radio, heard by Columbia Broadcasting System, quoted an unofficial Moscow broadcast as saying Soviet forces "have already broken into Chudovo.")

The great Red Army offensive was rolling through the German lines with apparently unabated momentum. In its first 12 days 10 German divisions were routed and more than 40,000 of the enemy

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Today's War News

MOSCOW—Russians announce the siege of Leningrad has been lifted completely in 13 days' campaign which has driven the Germans 40 to 60 miles from the city and liberated 700 towns and villages; pressing their offensive despite freak thaw that has swollen streams and turned roads into quagmires, Reds capture Tosno and Volosovo, rail junctions below Leningrad.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN ALGIERS — Allied forces beat back first determined counterattack against their beachhead south of Rome; German armored unit leaves 120 dead on field; American and French troops continue slow advances north of Cassino.

ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea—Scoring a hit with every bomb dropped, American bombers sink or leave in sinking condition seven merchant ships at Rabaul, big Japanese base on New Britain; from 24 to 28 enemy planes shot down with loss of one Allied plane.

Tail Gunner Given 7 Medals in Day, Officers Take Turns to Pin Them On

By E. B. SULLIVAN

A UNITED STATES BOMBER BASE IN ENGLAND, Jan. 27 (AP). — Oliver R. Germann, 25 years old, of Moran, Wyo., who not so long ago worked as a farm hand, had seven separate decorations pinned on his tunic today for bravery in the skies of Europe.

"We never before presented one man with so many decorations at one time," said Brig. Gen. Leon W. Johnson, himself winner of the Congressional Medal of Honor.

The General and a Colonel, taking turns, presented the Silver Star, Distinguished Flying Cross, an Oak Leaf Cluster, and the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters to Germann, a veteran of 17 missions as a Liberator tail gunner. His missions included the raid on Rumania's Ploesti oil fields and the first raid on Rome. He has spent five months in the hospital with wounds for which he received the Purple Heart.

The Silver Star citation said Germann, although wounded, shot down two attacking planes while operating in the Middle East theater and "only after his turret had been put out of commission by enemy action did he ask for help."

He earned the other awards for courage and skill in shooting down attacking planes on the Ploesti raid.

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15 U. S. BOMBERS SINK 5 JAP SHIPS AT RABAUL; NOT A BOMB MISSES

Two Other Vessels Left Sinking, 24 Enemy Planes Downed—Americans Lose One Fighter, Gain 4 Men.

ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea, Jan. 27 (AP).—Making every bomb count, 18 Avenger torpedo bombers in a masterful demonstration of accuracy sank or left sinking seven ships in the harbor at Rabaul Monday while more than 80 escorting fighters shot down 24 and possibly 28 out of 60 Japanese intercepting planes.

Utilizing what the pilots call a "side-splitting bombing from a low-level glide," the Avengers sent their 2000-pound bombs into the sides of the ships at the waterline. Every bomb released hit a ship, but the bombs of three Marine planes stuck.

Five Ships Seen to Sink.

Four cargo ships and a tanker were observed to sink. Three other cargo ships were damaged severely and a South Pacific naval spokesman said two of these were "left sinking." Another tanker also was damaged.

(Vern Haugland, Associated Press correspondent, reported from Munda, New Georgia, in a dispatch dated Jan. 24, the day of the raid, that the Avengers were credited with destroying 42,034 tons of enemy shipping.)

The raiders so completely surprised the Japanese, despite the fact Rabaul has been pounded almost daily this month, that enemy antiaircraft fire did not open up until after the bombers' first run.

Only a dozen Japanese fighters managed to get near the Avengers which shot down two without loss. The fighter escort accounted for the rest of the day's bag, with Marine Lt. Robert Hanson of Newtonville, Mass., running his string to 18 by downing four. One Allied fighter, a Corsair, was lost but the pilot was saved.

New Jap Fighter.

The sky battles ranged up to 23,000 feet. Several types of Japanese planes were encountered, including the Tojo, a fighter with a radial engine and a cigar-shaped fuselage.

The raid was the third and heaviest blow delivered this month against Japanese shipping at Rabaul by bombers based in the Solomons. On Jan. 14, seven cargo vessels, a light cruiser and a destroyer were damaged. Three days later, low-level bombers sank or severely damaged eight merchant ships.

The Monday bag of Japanese planes ran enemy losses at Rabaul this month beyond 350.

(In Washington, Secretary of War Stimson said Allied flyers in the South and Southwest Pacific had destroyed 463 Japanese planes and probably destroyed 109 others since the first of the year and had "wrought havoc" among Japanese installations and shipping.)

While the attack was in progress, rescue planes not only picked up the downed Corsair fighter pilot but also saved Army Lt. Glen Hart of Verdon, Neb., a Lightning pilot shot down Jan. 17, and the crew of an Avenger torpedo bomber lost during a Rabaul raid Sunday. The rescues actually increased the South Pacific air personnel roster over the previous day by four.

Headquarters also reported today that on Tuesday the heaviest attack in a growing series of raids against the Japanese in the Admiralty Islands, in the Bismarck archipelago, was delivered by Fifth Army Air Force Mitchells and Lightnings. Eight enemy fighters were destroyed on the Lorengau airdrome; a jetty was wrecked; and a small freighter was engulfed by flames in the harbor.

On the ground no noteworthy fighting was reported.

RESTRICTIONS FOR FIRST TIME ON RETAIL COKE DELIVERIES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Emergency restrictions were clamped today for the first time on retail deliveries of coke for domestic uses. Secretary of the Interior Ickes, as fuel administrator, announced the regulations:

Domestic consumers with more than a 30-day supply of solid fuels are prohibited from receiving coke. Those with less may receive enough to make a 30-day supply. A customer with less than a 30-day supply, however, is entitled to as much as two tons of coke in a single load even though this may bring his inventory above the 30-day figure.

The new controls, effective today, are essentially the same as restrictions already in effect on coal.

SHIFT BACK TO BRASS SHELL CASES TO SAVE 100 MILLIONS

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—The New York Ordnance District was notified yesterday the Army would discontinue the use of steel in making artillery shell cases and use brass again with a saving estimated at 100 million dollars this year.

The announcement said savings in man and machine hours through use of the softer material would increase production 30 per cent.

DITCHES, MINES, HEAVY FIRE FAIL TO HALT YANKS IN ITALY

Doughboys Ford Rapido Without Waiting for Bridge to Be Built—Germans Dug in Behind Wire and Bunkers.

By HAL BOYLE

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY BEFORE CASSINO, Jan. 26 (Delayed) (AP).—American doughboys who recrossed the Rapido River in a deadly hail of small arms fire have driven to within half a mile of Cassino in an enveloping movement through the surrounding ridges.

The concentrated opposition has been among the heaviest encountered by American troops at any time either in North Africa or Italy.

Standing on a ridge overlooking the ancient white-towered city of 16,000 population—in the home town of Gregory the First and other Popes and surmounted by the famous Benedictine monastery—Lt. Col. Humbert H. Des Marls of Minneapolis told how the doughboys forded the Rapido before dawn yesterday.

American shells were landing on Nazi-fortified points on Mount Maialo, one of the foothills of snow-capped Mount Cairo, towering almost a mile high and dominating the terrain north of Cassino.

"The Jerries have been months building up these fortifications and they know every inch of the land," said Des Marls.

"Before our boys even got to the Rapido River they had to cross two irrigation ditches, a 30-meter mine belt and a 12-foot wall.

"As it turned out, the river itself was one of the least of our problems. It is narrow along that strip and boggy rather than deep. So our advanced elements went over without even waiting for a bridge to be thrown up."

Des Marls said the troops ran into more mines as soon as they reached the other side of the Rapido.

"There was also a double apron of barbed wire waiting for us," he said. "The Germans were dug in in bunkers on the terraced hillside so they could protect each of their obstacles with enfiladed machine-gun nests.

"That gives you some idea what kind of a task those boys had getting through."

MARINE BAGS NINE, PERHAPS 10, ZEROS IN TWO BATTLES

Lt. Robert Hanson Gets Four Over Rabaul to Run Score to 18.

NEW GEORGIA, Solomon Islands, Jan. 24 (Delayed)—(AP).—Marine Lt. Robert Hanson of Newtonville, Mass., shot down four Japanese Zeros today to bring his total to 18. He may have downed a fifth plane, and, if so, that would equal his Jan. 14 performance of shooting down five planes in one day.

Hanson complained his Corsair had been acting up all the way to Rabaul, where today's air fighting took place, and "I couldn't get enough power to dogfight at low altitude, so I climbed upstairs to look for something to dive on."

Maj. Robert Owens Jr. of Greenville, S. C., skipper of Hanson's squadron, shot down a new-type Japanese fighter known as Tojo—first of its kind destroyed in the South Pacific. Maj. Owens was then shot down himself, but was rescued unhurt.

LADUE FLYER DOWNS ZERO IN HIS FIRST AIR COMBAT

On his first aerial contact with the enemy, First Lt. Lloyd E. Cox, 67 Briarcliff street, Ladue, shot down a Jap Zero, a Marine combat correspondent related in a dispatch received here today. The encounter occurred on the opening day of the Allied offensive against Bougainville, while Cox, a Marine fighter pilot, was patrolling over the invading Marine Corps infantrymen.

"There were about six Zeros altogether," he said, "flying about 1000 feet below us at right angles to my plane and my wingman's. We each picked one and broke off down behind them." Lt. Cox said that he did very little damage to his first target and then moved over, taking the next Zero in the formation.

When the enemy came into range, Cox opened fire. "I gave him everything I had," he reported. "My bullets must have torn into the engine, for it began smoking immediately and the plane started down for a slow glide. I must have killed the pilot with the first few bullets, for he made no effort to dodge the fire."

Cox, who has completed three years at Washington University, enlisted a few weeks after war was declared. He left the United States for overseas duty soon after he received his commission Nov. 20, 1942. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bordelon.

UNION OBJECTS TO ORDER TO MIX RACES IN SHIP CREWS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—A sailors' union today appealed to a House committee to investigate what it termed efforts of Government agencies to require the union to put mixed crews of white and Negro seamen on ships.

Harry Lundberg, secretary-treasurer of the Sailors' Union of the Pacific, told the committee that the union's New York office had been notified by Craig Vincent, regional representative of the recruitment and manning organization, War Shipping Administration, that, from Jan. 15, 1944, on, the union must "checkerboard" its crews.

Lundberg, asserting the union did not believe it was violating the President's order barring job discrimination because of race, color, creed, or national origin, said: "this executive order does not deal with the social and living conditions of any American citizen."

LT. J. H. LASHLY A PRISONER

Lt. John H. Lashly, whose Flying Fortress was shot down by the enemy during a heavy raid over Germany on Dec. 11, is now a prisoner of the Germans, a cable from International Red Cross headquarters at Geneva, Switzerland, reported today. Lashly was listed as missing Dec. 27.

The Red Cross cable said also that seven of 10 members of his crew were taken prisoner. Recently, the Federal Communications Commission reported that a German propaganda broadcast heard by its monitors named Lashly as a prisoner. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob M. Lashly, 20 Windermere place.

ALLIES BEAT OFF NAZI TANK ATTACK EAST OF NETTUNO

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infantry against British forces holding a crossroads village, which he did not identify or locate. He said the Germans withdrew at 10:30 a. m. after losing three tanks and numerous dead.

An Allied headquarters commentator said there was no information to support reports broadcast by the Bari radio that Velletri, 16 miles south of Rome on the Appian Way, had been taken by the Allies.

Race of Reinforcements.

Heavy traffic was observed in the German-held area between the two Allied fronts, and a race clearly was on to build up the Nettuno bridgehead to meet an expected crisis.

C. L. Sulzberger, correspondent of the New York Times, said that Field Marshal Albert Kesselring, the German commander in Italy, had called in all available bombers from as far away as Bordeaux, including long-range Heinkel 177s, in an effort to knock out Allied shipping supplying the beachhead, but that thanks to the Allied fighter umbrella and naval and shore antiaircraft fire the German success had been limited.

Sulzberger wrote that in addition to rushing up all available motorized elements from divisions recently sucked southward to the old Fifth Army front, the Germans had begun flying in reinforcements and supplies by plane and glider.

Today's communique said American and British forces there had been "further reinforced. The beachhead has been improved by limited advances."

Dispatches from the scene said the waters off the beachhead were still black with Allied ships and landing craft.

Three enemy planes were shot down yesterday from a formation which attacked British and American warships off Formia.

(The Germans claimed bomb and torpedo hits yesterday on two Allied cruisers, four destroyers, 12 transports and cargo vessels and six big landing barges. The Berlin communique said "some of these ships were destroyed." It added that German planes also bombed the port installations at Anzio.)

Meanwhile, Americans on the Cassino front, continuing to uproot Germans, mines and meshed defenses, struggled slowly forward across flooded streams and over steep crags just north of Cassino where field dispatches said they were within half a mile of the Liri valley gateway. Patrols had penetrated the outskirts of the stronghold.

Some four miles farther north the French moved down from their mountain positions on Mount Il Lago in the Sant' Elia area, across the Secco River and the Cassino-Atina road and attacked the Germans on the slopes of Mount Belvedere.

Canadian artillery of the British Eighth Army shelled enemy supply columns near the Adriatic coast, and Indian infantry threw back two small scale German attacks near Orsogna.

Ships Shell Roads.

Allied naval units continued to exert a powerful control over the coastal roads between the Cassino area and the northern beachhead, and again plowed up sections near Formia Tuesday night with their shells. This sea attack on enemy road traffic is continuing by day and night.

Allied air forces, despite deteriorating weather, put new rents in other sections of the German communication network between the two Allied fronts, hammering especially at Cisterna, Ceccano and Itri.

Cisterna is a pivot point on the Appian Way and the main railway, 24 miles southeast of Rome and 12 miles inland from the Nettuno beach. The presence of German guns there indicated it was one of the strong points for defense of the Rome area.

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SENATOR CALLS ON F. D. R. TO RETIRE AS '44 CANDIDATE

Supporter Replies, in Soldier Vote Debate, That People Want Him to 'Carry On.'

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—A Republican challenge to President Roosevelt to remove himself as a possible fourth-term candidate brought an assertion today from Senator Murdock (Dem.), Utah, that the American people want Roosevelt to "carry on" until "the unconditional surrender" of their enemies.

Senator Holman (Rep.), Oregon, interrupted a speech by Murdock in support of a Federal ballot for members of the armed forces to declare:

"The difference over this bill centers around the fact that the Commander-in-Chief is himself a candidate. If he would eliminate himself from that advantageous and unfair position, I think debate on the bill could come to an end."

Millikin on 'Usurpation.'

Senator Millikin (Rep.), Colorado, told the Senate that, if Congress overrides the states' constitutional rights to prescribe the method of electing presidential electors, it would be acting as "a revolutionary usurper."

Challenging the contention of supporters of the administration's service vote bill that Congress has wartime powers to set aside the states' authority over elections, he asserted that, if that were true, "Congress could depose the President by legislative action," and could also abolish elections and do away with the Supreme Court.

"The conclusion is inescapable," Millikin said, "that when Congress overrides the constitutional rights granted to the states in regard to elections, it is acting as a revolutionary usurper."

Millikin took the floor in the fourth day of debate on a measure indorsed by President Roosevelt which would establish a Federal war ballot on which members of the armed forces at home and abroad could vote for President, Vice-President, Senator and Congressman by writing in the name of the candidate or merely designating his party choice.

In answer to the President's charge that a previously approved measure simply calling on the states to make absentee ballots available to personnel was "a fraud upon the American people," Millikin said the pending administration measure contained "fraud-inviting" provisions.

He contended that its administration in foreign combat areas would have to be directed by foreigners in cases where American troops are fighting under foreign Allied commanders.

Millikin's attack on the measure followed an assertion by Senator Capper (Rep.), Kansas, that he was growing "suspicious" of what he described as administration attempts to use the war emergency "for the purpose of centralizing control of the American people in Washington."

"These soldiers are citizens," Capper declared. "It is no favor to them to take from the citizen any of his rights and transfer those rights into power for the central government, even though it be done in the name of justice for the soldiers."

He charged the pending bill attempted to bypass the constitutional guarantees of local control of elections.

MEMBER DENIES CHARGING FASCISM IN CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Representative Weiss (Dem.), Pennsylvania, shouted a denial on the House floor today that he had said three members of Congress should be indicted or that he had charged there were "Fascist blocs" in Congress.

The denial came after Rep. Rankin (Dem.), Mississippi, read a news dispatch which he said quoted Weiss as making such statements. Rankin asserted that the Pennsylvanian "should be expelled from the House" if he had made the statements.

Rep. May (Dem.), Kentucky, gained the floor and asked Weiss directly whether he had said such things in an address at Cleveland. Weiss then shouted his denial.

GEN. BRADLEY IS DECORATED FOR LEADERSHIP IN SICILY

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower has awarded the Legion of Merit to Lt. Gen. Omar N. Bradley of Moberly, Mo., senior commander of United States ground troops in the United Kingdom, for his leadership of the American Army Second Corps during the Sicilian campaign.

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PRICES WILL RISE, UNLESS PUBLIC AIDS — BOWLES

OPA Chief Tells Congressmen Greatest Pressure on Him Is to Move Up Costs.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Price Administrator Chester Bowles told a Senate labor subcommittee today further increases in living costs were inevitable unless he "gets the vigorous support of Congress and the general public."

Asserting that "efforts to hold the line against any further rise in the prices of food have been hampered by the continuing uncertainty on the use of subsidy payments," Bowles said: "For every single pound of pressure which we have received toward more effective price control in the interest of the great masses of our people, we have received 100 pounds of pressure designed in one way or another to raise present prices to higher levels."

Bowles, testifying before the Pepper Committee inquiring into the economic status of white collar workers, termed the inquiry "unprecedented" because he said, he was accustomed "only to pressure from one direction."

"In the past when we have been called before any group in Congress or elsewhere, inevitably it has been to explain why we have failed to raise the price of this product or that," he commented, adding that he shared the committee's concern for "the growing economic threat to the millions of people in the white collar and fixed income group."

He said the efforts of the Office of Price Administration to obtain badly needed production of inexpensive clothing had been hampered by the unwillingness of some corporations to manufacture such clothes "in spite of the fact that many of their firms are now making between four or five times the average profit earned during the prewar period."

Chairman William Davis of the War Labor Board later told the committee that the policy of WLB allows any employer to increase salaries to a minimum of 40 cents an hour without approval and to a minimum of 50 cents an hour with the approval of regional WLB boards.

He agreed with a statement by Senator Pepper (Dem.), Florida, that 40 or 50 cents an hour "is not adequate as a decent standard of wage," but said WLB had to consider "competitive conditions and the danger of creating unemployment."

"With the approval of the board, employers can increase salaries above 50 cents," Davis said. "We have approved as high as 80 cents for some of the fixed salary groups."

R. A. F. RAIDS NORTH FRANCE; 10 NAZI PLANES SHOT DOWN

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP).—British light bombers attacked targets in Northern France without loss today while Royal Canadian Air Force Mosquitos and R. A. F. Typhoons destroyed 10 enemy planes in far-ranging fighter sweeps. The Canadians shot down seven of the Nazi planes over Northern France.

The steel works at Ijmuiden, Holland, were targets for fighter-bombers escorted by fighters during the morning, while military objectives in Northern France were hit in the afternoon Mosquito raids.

Both long-wave transmitters of the German news agency DNB went off the air tonight—ordinarily a sign that the R. A. F. is attacking Europe.

Practice Bomb Hits Plumbing.

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 27 (AP).—Criminal Court Judge L. A. Grayson said today an Army practice bomb fell in the back yard of his home yesterday, knocking out his water pipes and blowing in two windows.

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Two-Thirds of Army to Be Overseas by End of Year

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to place a number of camps, posts, stations and other installations on a caretaker basis and to return many of the civilian installations and facilities which previously had been taken over by the Army."

Personnel Shift Ordered.

He announced that the War Department has ordered physically qualified men in all branches of the Army who have a total of more than 12 months' service at fixed stations or "overhead activities" in the United States to be reassigned to combat units "or mobile activities ultimately destined for overseas service."

Enlisted men under 30 will be reassigned first according to their length of service in the United States, and they will be followed by those over 30, in order of age—youngest first. These reassignment orders will not apply to men who have served overseas at some time since Pearl Harbor, or to men with highly specialized skills which cannot be utilized overseas.

"Replacements for reassigned enlisted men," said Stimson, "when necessary, will be made first from civilians, next by Women's Army Corps personnel, then, in order, by men permanently disqualified for overseas service, men who have served overseas, recently inducted men with physical handicaps, enlisted men with less than 12 months' service in fixed installations in the United States."

As to the officers over 38, Stimson said "there are many" for whom suitable assignments cannot be found, and "Army commanders have been notified that the retention of such officers on active duty is no longer necessary or desirable in the public interest. Therefore, if they cannot be reassigned they must be recommended for relief from active duty. Final decision in each case will be made by the War Department."

The department has not made public the list of camps which it proposes to close.

Predicts Heavy Battle.

Stimson said at his press conference that a heavy battle probably would develop south of Rome as the Germans attempt to drive the Allied amphibious forces which landed at Nettuno back into the sea.

So far, the position of the Allied forces is favorable, he said, but there is every reason to expect violent German reaction in an effort to save their communications between Rome and the Southern front in Italy.

Where the Germans will get the troops to launch a heavy counterattack is not quite clear, Stimson said, but some of them probably will be drawn from reserve garrisons in Northern Italy and some may even be pulled off the Southern battle line, where the Nazis are now trying to stem the Fifth Army's renewed advance toward Cassino.

It is conceivable that the Nettuno landings and the expansion of that beachhead may force the enemy to abandon its present Southern line, he said. But it is still much too early to predict a disastrous defeat for the Nazis.

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31,000 TONS OF BOMBS DROPPED ON EUROPE IN FIRST 25 DAYS OF 1944

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP).—ALLIED planes operating from bases in Britain and the Mediterranean have dropped 31,000 tons of bombs on Hitler's European fortress in the first 25 days of January, according to R. A. F. estimates, thereby probably setting a record for a single month.

Of the total, 22,000 tons were dropped by the Allied air forces based in Britain, the remainder by Mediterranean flyers—mostly on Italy and the Balkans.

It was emphasized that the over-all estimates necessarily are rough because of incomplete official figures on individual bomb loads.

An R. A. F. commentator said air operations supporting the Nettuno landings in Italy had prevented the Germans almost entirely from bringing up supplies and reserves in the daytime. Recent Mediterranean Allied air casualties, including Nettuno, were "nicely under" 1 per cent of individual plane flights, he said. He explained the German weakness as due to the fact that they have four times as many fighters on the Western European front, trying to fight off the attacks from Britain, as they do in Italy.

FARM WORKERS WARNED TO PRODUCE OR GO IN SERVICE

CHICAGO, Jan. 27 (AP).—Selective Service served notice today on the 1,700,000 farm workers who have been deferred from military service that, if their individual production does not add substantially to the food supply, their deferments may be canceled.

Comdr. Patrick H. Winston, assistant executive, National Selective Service headquarters, said in a speech to the National Council of Private Motor Truck Owners, Inc., that farm workers may be called on in the near future to increase sharply their production goals or be taken into the armed services. He was speaking in place of Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Selective Service director.

El Salvador Against Villarroel.

SAN SALVADOR, Jan. 27 (AP).—El Salvador announced today it would not recognize the Villarroel government of Bolivia, becoming the eighteenth American country to refuse recognition to the government established by coup d'etat. Only Argentina has announced recognition.

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LENINGRAD SIEGE LIFTED; TWO MORE JUNCTIONS TAKEN

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killed on the Leningrad front alone, a Soviet communique last night announced.

The Russians thus added 20,000 killed to the previously announced totals for the Leningrad offensive and increased to 35,000 the number of Nazis reported killed on the Leningrad and Volkhov-Lake Ilmen combined fronts. More than 6000 prisoners have been counted, it was asserted.

Booty reported taken in the 12 days included 619 big guns, among them 116 siege weapons from 150 millimeter to 406 millimeter; 454 mortars, 20 self-propelled guns, 1360 machineguns, 60 tanks and 24 armored cars. The Russians said they destroyed 158 tanks, 200 big guns, 245 mortars, five railway trains, five locomotives and 300 railway cars.

Reds Drive Toward Estonia.

The Russians kept up their relentless pressure with Govorov's forces driving south and west from Leningrad and Meretskov's troops west from Novgorod.

Part of Govorov's army, surging toward the Estonian frontier from captured Krasnogvardeisk, 30 miles south of Leningrad, stormed through Kaskova, 24 miles farther west before closing in on Volosovo. Several thousand Germans were killed in the Krasnogvardeisk battle, the Soviet command said.

Other columns of Govorov's forces were blasting a path south of Krasnogvardeisk with the evident design of effecting a junction with Meretskov's army smashing west from the Lake Ilmen region, 70 miles to the south, in an effort to cut the Leningrad-Vitebsk railway.

Mereteskov yesterday cleared the western shore of Lake Ilmen by taking the towns of Golino and Capino, and widened his salient to the northwest toward the Leningrad-Vitebsk line.

(Possibly indicating the scope of the Russian threat to the entire German front, a Polish underground radio station yesterday broadcast a report that the Nazis have begun an economic evacuation of the city of Warsaw. German engineers, technicians and politicians, the broadcast said, were departing, "taking with them whole factories—machinery, administrative staffs and the workers.")

JAPANESE AND CHINESE FIGHT AS ALLIES IN DUTCH BOMBER

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26 (AP).—Airmen from all over the world make the Mitchell bomber unit of The Netherlands East Indies Army Air Force one of the most unusual in Australia, Aneta, Dutch news agency, reported from the Southwest Pacific today.

For example, one bomber crew has a Holland-born navigator, Chinese gunner, Sumatran co-pilot and Japanese radioman.

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BOND ATTORNEYS PICKED IN ADVANCE BY UNION ELECTRIC

Utility Chose Bank's Counsel to Act for Rival Firm Which Underwrote Issue.

HIS SUGGESTION, WOODBRIDGE SAYS

Lawyers Were Familiar With Concern's Finances, He Asserts at Boehm Hearing.

Designation by Union Electric Co. of Missouri of the law firm representing Dillon, Read & Co., New York banking house, as "counsel for the unnamed underwriters" of a 10-million-dollar bond issue in 1942, in advance of competitive bidding in which Dillon, Read's offer ranked fifth out of eight, was disclosed in the deposition hearing yesterday in Frank J. Boehm's $3,500,000 damage suit against Union Electric and others.

Dillon, Read had handled considerable financing for Union Electric and other North American Co. utility units without competition before the Securities and Exchange Commission made competition compulsory. John A. Woodbridge, vice-president and general counsel of Union Electric, starting his appearance as second witness in the depositions, said, under examination by Boehm's counsel, that it probably was he who suggested designation of the Dillon, Read lawyers for the unnamed underwriter. One of the conditions of the bidding, he said, was that the successful bidder accept the designated counsel, Wright, Gordon, Zachry, Parlin & Cahill of New York.

Witness Among Defendants.

North American, Dillon, Read and Woodbridge are among the numerous defendants in the damage suit. Before coming to Union Electric in 1939, Woodbridge was employed by Sullivan & Cromwell, North American's New York lawyers. In that capacity he handled the voluminous legal details of Union Electric's 1937 financing and he worked on the company's 1938 preferred stock issue, then he had charge for the company of the SEC registration of 1941 financing, floated by Dillon, Read without competition, and the 1942 bond issue, for which Lehman Bros. of New York were the successful underwriting bidders.

While Dillon, Read in 1941 had received regular proofs of preliminary drafts of the registration, Woodbridge was "not sure" whether Lehman Bros. got such preliminary proofs.

"In the early stages, to avoid a complete jam at the end," said Woodbridge, "the company named lawyers as counsel for the unnamed underwriters. Then when the company invited bidders, each got proofs." He added that selection of the Dillon, Read lawyers was "the obvious thing to do, as they were familiar with our registrations through working on them before."

For the 10-million-dollar bond issue, Lehman Bros.' price, 109.28011 per $100, was the most favorable to Union Electric. The Dillon, Read bid, fifth best, was 108.3877, and the poorest offer was 107.95.

State Board's Order.

In 1938 the Missouri Public Service Commission issued a policy memorandum calling for at least two bids in each instance of public utility financing, Woolbridge said, but when asked how Union Electric met that requirement in 1941 he asserted that the policy no longer was in effect. The question of withdrawing the memorandum never was raised, he said, but the commission waived the requirement. There was such a waiver, he went on, in the case of Union Electric's 1938 stock issue, "and I have since learned from the commission the policy never was enforced on any utility."

Original plans for the 1937 financing called for issuing 22 million dollars in bonds of a subsidiary, Union Electric of Illinois, to the public, but this was changed so that this block was held in trust in St. Louis and the final arrangement was, "in effect, for financing both companies together," said Woodbridge.

His first information that the St. Louis Assessor had placed a personal property assessment against the parent company for the subsidiary's bonds, with an annual tax bill of more than $600,000, effective in 1940, came in March, 1941, he went on. He denied that he had heard Boehm tell the North American head in 1937 that these bonds were subject to taxation and he denied that he had said on another occasion that year that this was "a matter for the company's political department." Union Electric is contesting assessment of the bonds in court.

Woodbridge was excused from appearing again before Special Commissioner Kenneth Teasdale until this afternoon.

Correction on McClellan.

It was stated erroneously in yesterday's Post-Dispatch that William McClellan, board chairman of Union Electric, was a present director and former executive of North American Light & Power Co., a North American subsidiary, which handled the 1928 St. Louis terminal development of the Illinois Terminal System. The fact is that McClellan has been a director for the last two years of the North American Co. and that his only connection with North American Light & Power was as consulting engineer in the terminal construction. The importance of the point involved is that as a director or executive of North American Light & Power he might have been expected to know about unexplained payments from that concern's welfare fund.

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COAL ON WAY TO CITY FROM WEST VIRGINIA

Shipments to Mean Additional Supply of About 50 Carloads a Week.

Shipments of additional Eastern coal, which were promised to St. Louis last week by Deputy Solid Fuel Administrator Charles J. Potter, began today under an arrangement which has been worked out between the Government and a local wholesale distributer, it was announced by A. H. Beddoe, district manager for the Solid Fuel Administration.

The additional shipments, totaling 50 cars weekly, or about 10,000 tons a month, will come from West Virginia sources which previously have shipped no coal into the St. Louis area, Beddoe said. The additional fuel, of high quality, will help materially to alleviate the shortage of smokeless coal here, he added.

To facilitate the distribution of the coal to local retail dealers, Beddoe explained that the Government had made arrangements with the Peabody Coal Co., a wholesale distributer, to handle the shipments. He said the firm had agreed to handle the distribution without profit to itself.

The coal will be made available only to local independent retail dealers who can show that they are unable to fill standing orders for the fuel, Beddoe added. Application for the coal must be made by these dealers to Beddoe's office in the New Federal Building, Twelfth boulevard and Market street. They may be made by mail.

ANOTHER 'JUNE' DAY, MERCURY REACHES 69, SETTING RECORD

The "June in January" weather that St. Louis has been experiencing the last week continued today, with the temperature reaching 69 degrees at 4 p. m., one degree higher than the record established in 1914. Forecaster Harry F. Walhgren, however, insisted that colder weather is just around the corner.

The mercury, which has ranged in the sixties for the last three days, is expected to drop to between 38 and 44 degrees by morning, and remain under 50 all day tomorrow. Saturday morning is likely to see the first freezing weather since Jan. 20. Wahlgren revised an earlier forecast of snow in the St. Louis area tonight, explaining that snow clouds apparently had gone north of here.

Today was the second time this week that the temperature had reached or passed the record. Tuesday the mercury reached 66, 5 degrees higher than the record for that date.

R E A CO-OPERATIVES MEET UNION ELECTRICAL LEADERS

Fifty representatives of about 20 REA-financed rural electric co-operatives having labor contracts with the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers met with union leaders and Rural Electrification Administration officials here today in the opening session of a conference on labor relationships. Meetings, held in the local REA offices, will continue during the next two days.

William J. Neal, acting REA administrator, discussed the REA as a permanent power project. Others addressing the first session were Ed J. Brown, president of the IBEW, and M. H. Hedges, IBEW's director of research, both of Washington, D. C.

Among the leaders attending the session are Scott Milne, vice-president of IBEW for the Pacific Coast region; William Walker vice-president for the Eastern region, and Gordon Freeman, TVA representative of IBEW.

DONNELL PASSED UP FOR TRUMAN ON WARSHIP SPONSOR

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Commerce, and Mrs. Mehornay; Arthur G. Drefs, board chairman of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Drefs; Mr. and Mrs. George H. Davis of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Branch Rickey of Brooklyn; Miss Jean Ellen Lashly, daughter of Jacob M. Lashly, prominent St. Louis attorney; and Ens. Mary Frances Rogers, sister-in-law of Mrs. Boyd Rogers and a Wave stationed in Washington.

The Governor proposed in addition that invitations should be sent to all of Missouri's elective State officials and their wives, but indicated that none of them planned to attend.

Invitation Two Years Old.

Senator Truman said today that the invitation for his daughter to sponsor the Missouri was extended two years ago by Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, and that the proposed honor "took me completely by surprise." Donnell was elected Governor of Missouri in 1940.

Files at the Navy Department disclose that on March 16, 1942, Secretary Knox wrote a letter to Miss Truman designating her as sponsor of the ship.

Various reasons are advanced here to explain the Navy's "slight" to the Missouri executive. One is his membership in the Republican party. Secretary Knox is also a Republican, but a cabinet officer of a Democratic administration.

Another theory, to which Senator Truman inclined, was that the Navy desired by a graceful act to repeat a precedent of more than 42 years ago. There have been three battleships called Missouri. The second, which was launched Dec. 28, 1901, was christened by Mrs. Edson Gallaudet, daughter of the late Senator Francis M. Cockrell of Missouri.

But there is cause to believe that the Navy was unaware of this coincidence until a few days ago, when it began preparing publicity releases for Saturday's exercises.

Truman the More Influential.

Realists in Washington point out that there is no question as to whose good graces are more essential to the Navy—those of Gov. Donnell in remote Jefferson City, or those of the chairman of a powerful and dreaded investigating committee which in its time has raked the department with more than one punishing broadside. It is added that Senator Truman is being widely discussed as a possible vice-presidetnial candidate in this year's national election.

Researchers into the Navy Department's archives report that Miss Truman, 19-year-old sophomore at George Washington University in the Capital, is the first daughter of a United States Senator to christen a battleship in 23 years. In 1921 the Colorado was sponsored by Mrs. Ruth Nicholson Melville, daughter of Senator Samuel D. Nicholson of Colorado. Counting the second and third Missouris, the Navy has launched 52 battleships since 1901. Three others, the Pennsylvania, Mississippi and Washington, were sponsored by daughters of Senators, who were respectively Matthew S. Quay, H. P. Money and John L. Wilson.

The records do not show how many of the five daughters of Senators were picked by Governors, but they indicate that sponsors were nominated by State executives in at least 46 out of 52 launchings. Chosen to christen battleships were 22 daughters of Governors, three wives, two nieces, one granddaughter and one goddaughter. Other nominees included daughters of eight "prominent citizens" and "friends of the Governor."

Among the Missourians receiving invitations to the Missouri launching are:

Ex-Senator and Mrs. Harry B. Hawes; Judge and Mrs. Rubey M. Hulen, St. Louis; Judge and Mrs. John Caskie Collet, Kansas City; Judge and Mrs. George Moore, St. Louis; Bernard F. Dickmann, acting postmaster at St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Busch III, St. Louis; Mayor and Mrs. John Gage, Kansas City; Mayor and Mrs. Roger T. Sermon, Independence; Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Nacy, Jefferson City; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Van Sant, Fulton; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Easley, Webb City; Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Jobes, Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bell, Jefferson City; Mr. and Mrs. Forest Smith, Jefferson City; Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Brown, Jefferson City.

BOYLES ORDERS TERMINAL TO USE SMOKELESS COAL

Reveals Consumer Violations Have Escaped Prosecution Due to Fuel Scarcity.

Smoke Commissioner Robert M. Boyles announced today that notice has been served on the Terminal Railroad Association, requiring it to use only low volatile (smokeless) coal in its locomotives within the city.

The official action revealed that there has been no prosecution either of large or small consumers, thus far in the present heating season, for using high volatile coal, in violation of the smoke elimination ordinance. The suspension of strict enforcement was due to the scarcity of the fuel required by the ordinance. Now that an increased supply of smokeless fuel is available, through shipments from Eastern fields and from Arkansas, enforcement against both large and small consumers will be resumed.

The increased supply, Boyles said, "places us in the position where we can require compliance with all provisions of the ordinance, without giving consideration to the emergency fuel clause, wherein it is provided that a good defense against charges of violation shall be a showing that an adequate supply of smokeless fuel is not available."

In the case of the Terminal, Boyles said, it has been necessary, in view of conditions existing in the earlier part of this season, to give consideration to the fuel situation, to the "good defense" clause, and to the necessity for continuous operation of the Terminal system as a vital rail link in the St. Louis area.

"The position with regard to the Terminal Railroad," Boyles said, "has not been inconsistent with that adopted toward any other individual coal consumer.

"The major question has been one of keeping houses warm during a critical war year, with coal strikes, transportation difficulties, lack of manpower and unprecedented demand for fuel. It has been a case primarily of keeping our people warm and to a secondary degree of preserving the smoke ordinance.

"Now for the first time we believe we can see an assured supply. For the futuer, everyone will be expected to comply with the full ordinance requirements."

WLB AGAIN DENIES PAY RISE AT M'QUAY-NORRIS

The War Labor Board has denied an appeal for a 5-cent-an-hour wage increase for workers of McQuay-Norris Manufacturing Co., according to notice received by Local 231, CIO United Auto Workers of America.

This appeal was one of the issues in a long-standing dispute leading to a two-week strike which virtually halted production of piston rings for military aircraft in factories at 2320 Marconi street and 3838 Market street.

The strike ended last Monday, the union voting to accept settlement of non-wage issues and leave the wage issue to be handled by the WLB. Management had joined the union in requesting an early ruling on the wage issue, which was appealed last July when the WLB originally ruled against the union.

TRAIN THAT HIT BUS APPARENTLY GOING TOO FAST

Deputy Says Engine Crew Told Him Speed Was 25 M. P. H. — State Order Permits 10.

The Wabash passenger train which killed 10 persons and injured eight others in a collision with a Public Service Co. bus at the unguarded Etzel avenue grade crossing last Sunday night apparently was violating a 10-mile speed limit when the tragedy occurred, the Post-Dispatch learned today.

Deputy Sheriff A. H. Piotraschke quoted F. L. Dolson, locomotive engineer, and Fireman Gerald E. Van Meter as saying the train was moving about 25 miles an hour when it reached the crossing.

Recognizing the hazardous nature of this crossing, the Missouri Public Service Commission 23 years ago ordered the Wabash Railroad Co. to limit the speed of all its trains to 10 miles an hour at this point.

The speed limit order was issued after the commission conducted a hearing in St. Louis Nov. 1, 1920. The late Sam D. Hodgdon, former St. Louis County Probate Judge, in his capacity as president of the Automobile Club of St. Louis County, had charged the crossing constituted a public danger and had asked the railroad to install audible and visual automatic electric signals.

When the railroad refused, Hodgdon asked the Public Service Commission to order installation of electric signals, filing a complaint Aug. 23, 1920. After holding its hearing, the commission, in an order written by former Commissioner Edwin J. Bean, on Jan. 4, 1921 directed the railroad to limit speed of all its trains to 10 miles an hour at the crossing. This order had never been rescinded, check of the Public Service Commission records in Jefferson City disclosed today.

The commission's order also directed the railroad to install and maintain secondary whistling posts 600 feet on each side of the crossing, these posts being signals reminding locomotive engineers to whistle for the crossing. On Jan. 7, 1921, the railroad signed a form accepting terms of the order and pledging compliance.

Albert Miller, chairman of the Public Service Commission, will confer with city officials in the Mayor's office tomorrow on advisability of a joint survey of grade crossing hazards in St. Louis by city and State engineers. A hearing on the collision at the Etzel avenue crossing, which is in Wellston, will be held Feb. 8 at the courthouse in Clayton. Mayor Aloys P. Kaufmann declined to permit holding the hearing in the City Hall, in view of the fact the accident occurred in the county.

POLICE GO INTO WRONG ROOM AT HOTEL, COME UPON BOOKIE

Police, responding to a routine call at the Reno Hotel, 908 North Broadway, yesterday afternoon, accidentally entered the wrong room and found three men who admitted they were operating a handbook by taking bets over telephones.

Joseph P. Flavin, who gave his address as 5646 St. Louis avenue, told police, they reported, that he had been running the handbook since about Jan. 10, and had employed John H. Barry and Robert M. Fitzgerald as cireks. Barry said he lived at 6304 Arsenal street and Fitzgerald gave his address as 2720 Greer avenue.

All were booked to appear in Police Court Feb. 5 on a charge of setting up and keeping a gambling house.

ATTEMPT TO END ST. LOUIS PLAN FOR CALLING JURORS

Convention Committee Favors Proposal to Bar Preliminary Inquiry Into Qualifications.

By HERBERT A. TRASK
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 27.—An attempt to destroy the system for selection of intelligent and qualified jurors for service in St. Louis circuit courts is being made in the Constitutional Convention by three St. Louis delegates, through sponsorship of a proposal that would outlaw any preliminary investigation to determine the fitness of prospective jurors.

The three are Delegate Everett Hullverson, Eleventh Ward Republican committeeman; Delegate James P. Finnegan, former Prosecuting Attorney, who introduced the proposal, and Delegate Alroy S. Phillips, whose strenuous advocacy of the measure resulted yesterday in approval of the proposal by the Bill of Rights Committee. All three are lawyers.

Under the present system, inaugurated several years ago for the purpose of improving the quality of St. Louis juries, a house-to-house canvass is regularly made by deputy jury commissioners to prepare a list of persons eligible for service.

Power of Deputies.

The deputies are empowered to ascertain the qualifications of the prospective jurors by personal inquiry or other means, and are instructed to reject persons who are not sufficiently familiar with the English language to read or write, or to understand ordinary court proceedings. They also reject vagrants, persons of disorderly habits and others exempt from jury service by law.

Persons on the jury list who are actually called for service may later be rejected for cause by attorneys or the trial court.

The proposal supported by the three St. Louis delegates provides that every citizen over 21 years of age would be presumed to be eligible for jury service unless exempted by law, unless and until the opposite was shown upon examination at the trial.

The effect of this scheme, if adopted, would be to permit the name of any person not specifically exempted by law to be placed in the jury wheel, without regard to his ability to render intelligent service.

Phillips, in denouncing the present system before the committee, charged that the plan had been "put over" by the Associated Industries of Missouri, a retailers' organization with headquarters in St. Louis, after it became "alarmed over numerous large damage awards made by juries against its members." Delegate Thomas C. Hennings Sr., St. Louis, a member of the committee, opposed approval of the proposal.

Clash on County Charters.

Approval by the convention of a proposal to permit home rule for counties by organizing under a charter form of government is being endangered by seemingly irreconcilable differences between officials of St. Louis County and Kansas City over details for establishing the new governments.

St. Louis County advocates of the plan insist that 16 freeholders be appointed by the Circuit Judges and the Probate Judges of the county on a nonpartisan basis to draft the charter. The Kansas City administration, interested in the proposed reorganization of Jackson County, wants the freeholders elected by the people.

Another major difference is the manner in which drafting of the charter by the freeholders would be initiated. St. Louis County favors a plan under which the work would begin on petition of 10 per cent of the voters, while Kansas City thinks the petition merely should authorize the calling of an election, permitting the voters to decide whether a county charter should be prepared.

A group of Kansas City officials appeared yesterday before a joint subcommittee of the two convention Committees on Local Government to present their arguments. Delegate E. McDonald Stevens, University City, told the subcommittee he favors appointment of a bipartisan board of freeholders to draft the charter in order to prevent politics from influencing their work. He said he doubted whether qualified citizens would offer their services for this work if they had to be elected.

The plan for abolishing the office of Coroner and transferring its duties to State medical examiners was approved tentatively yesterday by the Convention's Local Government Committee, dealing with matters affecting St. Louis, St. Louis County and Jackson County (Kansas City).

Another convention committee handling matters affecting local governments in the rest of the State previously approved the plan, but did not decide where the duties of the Coroner should be assigned. This question probably will be worked out jointly by the two committees.

The second approval of the plan yesterday was opposed by Delegate Edward J. Hogan of St. Louis, who charged that St. Louis' celebrated Melendes case was responsible for the "agitation" for abolishing the office. He told the committee that the Coroner system had been working successfully in St. Louis for many years and that no change was necessary.

Proponents of the plan contend the office is useless and frequently a hindrance to law enforcement. They recommended transfer of its duties to State medical examiners, trained in pathology and qualified for scientific crim detection.

$850 in Goods Stolen in Market.

The State Highway Patrol and St. Louis County Sheriff's office are searching for thieves who broke into the Hardesty Master Market, 10005 Manchester road, Warson Woods Village, Monday night and stole 47 hams, 75 packages of cigarettes, 4 steel filing cabinets and a half-ton International truck bearing the name of the market in large letters. Oliver J. Hardesty, proprietor estimated the loss at about $850.

WAR BOND SALES TOTAL 34 MILLION, 21.4 PCT. OF GOAL

New Report Lists Day's Subscriptions at $3,545,150 — Scouts Near Half of Their Quota.

New subscriptions of $3,545,150 today brought total sales in the Fourth War Loan Drive in St. Louis and St. Louis County to $34,065,925, or 21.4 per cent of the $159,429,000 quota.

Campaign leaders expressed concern over progress of the general drive, but at the same time were enthusiastic about results obtained by Boy Scouts of the city and county, who reported new sales of $282,141 today, bringing their total to $2,358,060. This figure is nearly half of the Scouts' five-million-dollar goal.

Assigned a $69,000 sales quota, Boy Scout Troop No. 90 of Shaare Emeth Temple in University City already has obtained 645 pledges for bond purchases totaling $125,594. The troop's solicitation is directed by Wardell Talmadge.

Walter J. Hein, chairman of the Metropolitan St. Louis War Finance Committee, urged individuals to budget from their weekend or month-end pay sums for purchase of additional bonds.

"Let us all realize that 'Back the Attack' is more than a slogan," he declared. "Those men who landed on the beaches south of Rome to carry the attack into the heart of the enemy's defenses have got to be backed up. That's our job. And with the dispatches telling us that the German opposition is growing tougher, it means that we have to work harder."

Large firm purchases announced today included Carter Carburetor Co. and American Car & Foundry Co., $1,250,000 each; Elder Manufacturing Co., Eagle Stamp Co., and Bemis Brothers Bog Co., $100,000 each; Harris-Langenberger Hat Co. and Thomas Garland Co., $50,000 each; Seven-Up Bottling Co., $40,000; St. Louis Star-Times, $30,000.

Advertising the McDonnell Aircraft Co. war bond show next week, a downtown parade in which war veterans and fraternal organizations will participate will be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight, moving east on Washington avenue from Twelfth boulevard, south on Sixth street to Chestnut, and then west to Twelfth.

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BARUCH PROPOSED TO HEAD HOUSE ECONOMIC STAFF

New Postwar Policy and Planning Committee Created to Aid in Peace Conversion.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Bernard M. Baruch, 73-year-old adviser to two wartime Presidents, will be asked to head the staff of the newly-created House Economic Policy and Planning Committee, set up yesterday to help get the country back on a peacetime basis when the time comes.

Chairman Colmer (Dem.), Mississippi, announced he would invite Baruch to head the committee's staff, "if not actively, then in an advisory capacity."

"I know of no man better fitted for the job," Colmer said.

Baruch was head of the War Industries Board in World War No. 1, advised President Wilson on economic policy, and now is head of President Roosevelt's advisory unit on war and postwar policy.

The new House committee will take over many of the activities envisaged for President Roosevelt's National Resources and Planning Board, which was abolished by Congress last year.

Colmer told the House that a paramount aim would be to bring about a cessation of "wartime regimentation of the people" and to guarantee "the continuation of free enterprise."

Serving with Colmer are nine other Democrats and eight Republicans, as follows:

Democrats—Cooper, Tennessee; Thomason, Texas; Walter, Pennsylvania; Zimmerman, Missouri; Voorhis, California; Murdock, Arizona; Lynch, New York; O'Brien, Illinois; Fogarty, Rhode Island.

Republicans—Fish, New York; Gifford, Massachusetts; Reece, Tennessee; Welch, California; Wolverton, New Jersey; Hope, Kansas; Wolcott, Michigan, and Dewey, Illinois.

The committee, Colmer said, will study and make recommendations on such factors as equitable termination of war contracts; disposition of surplus war commodities and Government-owned plants; development of new markets, both foreign and domestic; demobilization and re-employment of ex-soldiers and war workers.

SHOOTS BROTHER IN MOVIE, IS FOUND WOUNDED IN PARK

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his brother, were another brother, Francis Kaimann, and a sister, Mrs. Anna C. Ballman.

William Kaimann refused to vote on "a certain motion," he continued, but he did not say whether the vote was then taken without him. He said in his statement, however, that when William Kaimann accused him of cheating, he replied: "The vote was two to one."

Clarence Kaimann is president and William vice-president of the Kaimann Circuit, which owns eight neighborhood theaters and leases several others.

Testified at Nick, Weston Trial.

Clarence Kaimann was a chief witness in United States District Court in 1940 in the case against John P. Nick and Clyde Weston, who are serving sentences for racketeering in the motion picture business here.

Clarence Kaimann testified at the trial of Nick, one-time boss of the motion picture operators' union, and Weston, former business agent of the union, as to pay-offs made by theater operators to forestall or reduce wage demands made by operators.

He said that as a member of the Exhibitors' Wage Committee he visited Nick's headquarters, saw "guns and a tear ga.. gun" and persons he knew to be former convicts, and that the presence of these men and the weapons "had its effect on me and the ot.r members of the committee."

In 1936 he told a Post-Dispatch reporter he collected a fun.l of about $15,000 at a time when the demand for a $10-per-week wage increase was being made by operators. Asked to explain the purpose of the fund he said it was for "picnics and things like that." Testimony at the Nick and Weston trial brought out the fact the word "picnic" was sometimes used to denote a pay-off.

William Kaimann, who is 52 years old, lives at 8833 Partridge avenue. Clarence Kaimann, who is 51, lives on State Highway 99 north of United States Highway 66, Baden Station.

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$16.95 Moderate-Price Shop early spring dresses in women's sizes ... $12
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$25 Collegienne Shop dressy dresses in rayon crepes ... $15
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$2.98-$3.98 High School shop blouses ... $1.49
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$1.98 Brushed-rayon bed jackets reduced, $1.59
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$6.98-$23.60 Leather Suitcases, $4.98-$18.50
$2.98 Utility bags, khaki duck ... $1.59
$1.98 Utility bags, khaki, duck, button ... $1.19
$12.55 to $39.00 Calfskin suitcases now ... $9.98 to $31.20
$2.50 Junior boys' corduroy overalls ... $1.79
$5.98 Boys' poplin reversible jackets ... $1.99
$16.98 Boys' gabardine reversible jackets, $10.99
$1.00 Boys' knit hockey caps ... 39c
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$9.98 Junior boys' mackinaws, broken sizes, $4.99
$13.98 Junior boys' poplin snow suits ... $10.99
$12.98 Boys' fingertip coats, size 6 only ... $8.99
$17.98 Boys' reversible fingertip coats ... $13.90
$14.95 & $16.95 Student sport coats ... $7.90
$21.00 to $29.95 Students' suits ... $13.90
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$20.00 Men's pile lined fingertip coats ... $14.99
$6.50 Men's fancy sport vests, broken sizes, $1.00
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$10.95 Khaki poplin jacket, removable wool lining, broken sizes ... $6.99

SIXTH FLOOR

5—$17.98-$19.98 Odd bedspreads ... $12.98
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$87.50-$97.50 Period wing chairs ... $59.50
2—$182.50 English sofas, 2 cushions ... $129.50
2—$198 Regency sofas, wine, blue ... $129.50
2—$155-$169.50 Modern sofas ... $89.50
2—$59.50 Fan back chairs, prints ... $29.50
1—$249.50 Modern sofa and chair ... $169.50
3—$95.25 Leather lounge chairs ... $59.50
2—$39.95 Louis XV occasional chairs ... $19.95
1—$219.50 Kidney sofa and chair ... $149.50
4—$129.50 Modern sofa and chair ... $89.50
1—$74.50 Modern lounge chair, gray, $39.50
9—$62.50 Pillow back lounge chairs ... $44.50
4—$51.50 Fireside chairs ... $29.50
$198.50 Federal sofa, 1 cushion ... $129.50
1—$134.50 lime oak, 4-pc. bedroom ... $79.50
$45 Modern dresser; walnut veneer ... $24.50
3—$95.53 Settees, in homespun fabrics, $59.50
1—$48.23 Vanity of yucca wood ... $29.50
38—$24.50 Simmons felt mattresses ... $17.50
4—$52.55 Twin metal beds; complete ... $47.50
4—$10.95 Twin size headboards ... $3.95
10—$15.95-$19.95 All felt mattresses ... $10
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5 MILLIONS WENT INTO RADIO FIRM, $500,000 CAME BACK

North American Co. Financed Expensive Experiments, Paid President $30,000 Salary, Then Sold Out.

All that the North American Co., giant utility holding corporation, has to show for the five million dollars it poured into Wired Radio, Inc., a former subsidiary, in the decade prior to 1936, is $500,000 in par value preferred stock of Associated Music Publishers, Inc., plus royalty and patent rights of little present value, the Post-Dispatch learned today.

Wired Radio was formed in 1922 for the announced purpose of developing an idea to transmit selected musical programs over electric or telephone lines into the homes of paying subscribers. The company was to conduct experiments and design equipment for the purpose.

Political Purposes Implied.

This purpose has been questioned by Sebastian C. Pugliese, attorney for Frank J. Boehm in the $3,500,000 damage suit against North American, Union Electric Co. and others. Pugliese implies that much of the five millions which North American channeled through Wired Radio was used throughout the years for political purposes and that Wired Radio was merely a convenient device to conceal the holding firm's political contributions.

He charges that the $30,000 salary which Waddill Catchings received from Wired Radio in 1936 was for the purpose of making a contribution of that amount to the presidential campaign of Alfred M. Landon of Kansas.

Catchings, now connected with the New York law firm of Sullivan & Cromwell, which is identified with North American interests, was president of Wired Radio at the time. He also held executive positions in several utilities in the North American system, whose ordinary business was to sell gas, electricity, water or transportation.

Denies Political Spending.

He denied to a Post-Dispatch reporter that any of the money spent by North American through Wired Radio went for political purposes. "Every cent of it was spent for experimental work," he said, and he cited as proof the 500 patents Wired Radio had acquired. He pointed out that both the Securities and Exchange Commission and a Federal grand jury at Springfield, Ill., had made investigations of his books and of Wired Radio.

"Examiners checked through everything which had been done. I was made to account for every cent I received. My personal books and those of Wired Radio were checked and they found nothing wrong," Catchings said.

By the time the SEC ordered North American to divest itself of the expensive experimental laboratory it was conducting in means to furnish music or entertainment over utility lines, developments in radio frequency modulation had reached the point where one of the two selling arguments to prospective customers for Wired Radio's products was destroyed—that argument was that the programs over Wired Radio's equipment were free from static interference, Catchings said. The other argument was that the programs were free of commercial announcements.

Sold Out Wired Radio.

Wired Radio was sold to Associated Music Publishers in 1940. This firm was controlled at the time by Warner Bros. Pictures, Inc. North American accepted $500,000 of the 6 per cent preferred stock of Associated Music Publishers for Wired Radio and retained royalty rights in Wired Radio patents and in music business of the Muzak Corporation, a wholly owned subsidiary of Wired Radio. Muzak uses Wired Radio's system for distributing musical programs over telephone wires to restaurants, hotels, apartments and factories in Chicago, Cleveland and New York.

More recently all the common stock of Associated Music Publishers has been acquired by William Benton, vice-president of the University of Chicago, who now controls the firm and its two subsidiaries. Benton has little interest in Wired Radio, he told a Post-Dispatch reporter, but is intensely interested in Muzak, which has become a revenue-producing firm.

Catchings expressed doubt whether the royalty contracts on patents of Wired Radio would ever have much cash value. Benton was of the same mind.

"Wired Radio is of no value to me," he said. "It is true it controls many patents and I'm glad to have them. Some of them may have some value some day, but at present royalties from them amount only from $5000 to $6000 a year and it costs that much to collect them and keep a set of books on them.

"North American owns overriding royalty contracts on music business and patents of Associated Music Publishers, Wired Radio and Muzak. It's hard to say what those contracts are worth. If the music business improves and if some of Wired Radio patents should happen to be generally used, it could be that some day North American might get back the money it put into Wired Radio."

1000 Off Jap Warship Drowned.

CHUNGKING, Jan. 27 (AP).—About 1000 Japanese were drowned Jan. 19 when a medium-sized Japanese warship sank near Kweichih, Yangtze River port in Anhwei province, when it struck Chinese-laid mines, the Central China News Agency said today.

SOIL EXPERTS' ADVICE SOUGHT ON COLUMBIA BOTTOMS FILL

To determine feasibility of the hydraulic fill method in developing Columbia Bottoms for St. Louis' second major airport, advice of soil experts will be sought, Milton M. Kinsey, Director of Public Utilities and Municipal Airport Commission chairman, said yesterday.

He said he would enlist the aid of the United States Bureau of Public Roads and Purdue University in making an analysis of subsoil conditions at Columbia Bottoms before reaching a final decision on whether the site should be developed by levees or by hydraulic fill.

He explained a highly technical problem is presented, since permanancy of a hydraulic fill depends on the type of soil used in the fill as well as the type soil on which the fill is made. Kinsey said he is preparing a detailed plan for the airport based on the fill method which will be submitted shortly to the commission.

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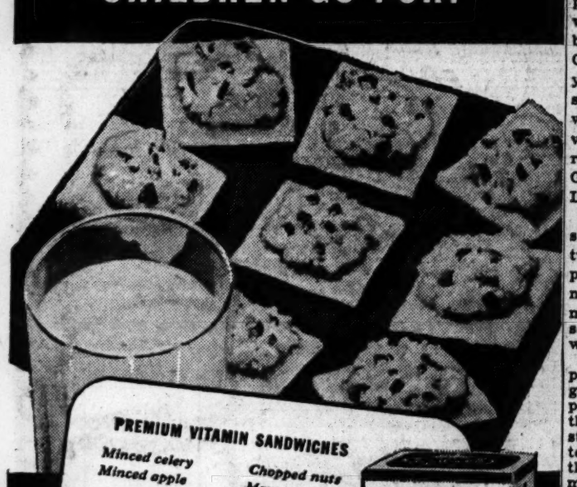
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FIGHT ON POLITICS IN CONSERVATION NOT YET SETTLED

One Effort to Destroy Nonpartisan Control Is Beaten — Another Group Still to Act.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 27.—Threatened destruction of the nonpartisan control of conservation was blocked, at least temporarily, by the Constitutional Convention Committee on the Bill of Rights yesterday by the rejection of a so-called compromise proposal which, designed to prevent a convention fight, actually would have returned complete control of the Conservation Commission to the Legislature.

The fight to preserve the conservation provision of the Constitution, voted in 1936 and reapproved by the voters in 1940, is not ended, however, as the Committee on Agriculture and Conservation is yet to be reckoned with.

The issue was first raised in proposals emanating from delegates who object to the arbitrary powers the people voted to give the commission, and there was strong sentiment in the Committee on Agriculture in support of these proposals stripping the commission of its important powers.

Three "Compromise" Proposals.

When the fight became so bitter in the committee that it appeared a major controversy would result, possibly creating antagonisms that would endanger the whole work of the convention, President R. E. Blake proposed three "compromise" provisions. One before the Judiciary Committee would make commission regulations affecting private rights subject to court review. A second required publication of the commission's regulations. These were considered of no great interference with the successful operation of the commission.

A third, however, was fraught with great danger.

All commissions and boards were prohibited from making any regulations which were in conflict with acts passed by the Legislature, the direct reverse of the provision enacted by the people, which was that the Legislature should have no power to enact laws in conflict with the reasonable regulations made by the commission.

Blake Proposal Revised.

The Bill of Rights Committee rewrote the Blake proposal, removing the objectionable provisions. As approved by the committee the proposal is: "That no bureau, commission, board or other administrative agency now existing or hereafter created shall have the power to provide, create, enact or impose any fine or imprisonment."

The Conservation Commission never has made any regulation imposing a penalty, nor has it contended that it had power to do so. It has set up regulations which the Supreme Court has held could legally be enforced through application of a misdemeanor section of the statute enacted by the Legislature before the conservation section of the Constitution was adopted.

It has been, and under the new proposal would continue to be, within the power of the Legislature to repeal this penalty section, but in the absence of such repeal, fines and imprisonment can be imposed for violation of the regulations.

The question remains as to whether the action of the Bill of Rights Committee will be accepted by the opponents of the commission. They can still attempt to obtain approval of a proposal to change the conservation amendment.

Petition Urges Retention.

The Conservation Federation of Missouri, an organization actively interested in promoting conservation, and financed by voluntary contributions and membership fees, today submitted to the delegates a petition, signed by 356 persons in 99 counties, urging that the conservation provision be retained in the new Constitution exactly as it was voted by the people in 1936.

SOUTHWOOD FIRM SUES LICHTENSTEINS FOR $41,400

Suit for $41,400 damages against Philip, Leonard and Harry Lichtenstein, brothers and real estate promoters, was filed in Circuit Court yesterday by the Southwood Investment Co., which charged conspiracy to defraud its stockholders.

The petition alleges the defendants purchased two 12-family apartment buildings at 6221-23 and 6227-29 Southwood avenue in October, 1935, for $86,000. The defendants then incorporated the Southwood company and after selling $22,800 in capital stock to 10 Illinois residents, induced the company to buy the property for $102,400, concealing the fact they had already purchased it, the petition alleges.

Last November, the Lichtenstein brothers pleaded no contest in United States District Court to charges of mail fraud in connection with the sale of securities representing interests in the Southwood and other apartment properties. They paid a total of $10,500 in fines.

Allied Raid On Fiume Reported.

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 27 (AP).—Allied bombers attacked the Italian port of Fiume today, causing "considerable damage," a dispatch from Zagreb in Croatia said today.

JIMMY STEWART REJECTS BOOST TO RANK OF MAJOR

Wants His Lieutenants Promoted First—Has Flown on Three Bombing Raids.

UNITED STATES LIBERATOR BOMBER BASE, England, Jan. 27 (AP).—Capt. Jimmy Stewart, formerly of Hollywood and now leader of a Liberator squadron, is the talk of his mates today because he has turned down a promotion to major.

Friends of the actor quoted him as saying he didn't want to be raised to a higher rank "until my junior officers get promoted from lieutenant."

The star of "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington" remained mum about the incident.

Since his arrival two months ago Stewart has piloted his bomber on three raids—as a squadron commander he flies only occasionally—and fellow flyers say he did a "swell job." On the ground he puts in long hours at executive work.

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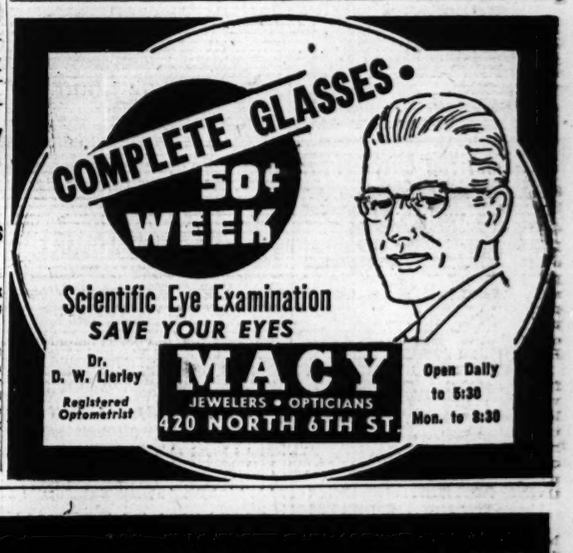
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Trial of the Triangle Coal Co., its president, Louis Lee Horen, and one of his employes, Ambrose Bretelle, began today in the court of Police Judge Joseph B. Catanzaro, where the defendants face a total of 46 charges growing out of allegations that they misrepresented types of coal sold to customers.

The company faces 15 charges of furnishing coal other than as contracted, and a charge of having no city weight certificate. Horen, who is chairman of the St. Louis Fuel Dealers' Association, faces 15 charges of furnishing coal other than as contracted, a charge of altering a city weight certificate and one charge of having no city weight certificate.

Bretelle, a weigher employed at the Triangle firm, at 4567 De Tonty street, faces 13 charges of misrepresenting the size and quality of coal he inspected and weighed. The city contends that the Triangle firm realized "thousands of dollars" in excess profits by selling mine-run coal at egg and lump prices.

The first witness to testify was John Narrenberns, 418 Fillmore avenue, who said that last November he ordered three tons of lump coal from the Triangle Co., which was delivered while he was away from home at work.

When he came home and inspected the fuel, Narrenberns testified, the coal looked like a pile of stoker coal, with only about 12 lumps in the entire lot. Shoveling it was like shoveling sand," he related.

When the trial opened, Orville Richardson and Victor Packman, counsel for the defense, moved dismissal of the charges on several grounds, including a contention that the charges of delivering coal other than as contracted were made from a city ordinance that refers to kinds of coal, rather than sizes. They also charged the ordinance was class legislation, and that the subject matter was beyond the authority of the city.

Judge Catanzaro took the motions under advisement until the evidence had been heard. The city is represented in the case by James V. Frank, associate city counselor.

AID TO M'KITTRICK RESIGNS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 27.—Assistant Attorney General John S. Phillips, Democrat, of Poplar Bluff, has resigned, effective Feb. 1, to become associated with the law firm of Lashly, Lashly, Miller & Clifford of St. Louis. Phillips has been a member of the Attorney General's staff for about two years.

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Robert A. Ping, a former St. Louisan, now Air Inspector of the Sixteenth Wing at Biggs Field, Tex., has been promoted to the rank of Colonel, it was announced today. Also, he has been awarded the Air Medal for piloting Gen. H. H. Arnold on a tour of the South Pacific in late 1942.

Col. Ping, one of the pioneer members of the Ferry Command, has more than 4000 hours in the air without accident to his credit.

On the trip with Gen. Arnold, he set what was then a record for the flight from Brisbane, Australia, to Washington, D. C., a flying time of 77 hours, 14 minutes.

MARS, BIGGEST AIR BOAT, ENDS ITS ROUND TRIP TO HAWAII

ALAMEDA, Cal., Jan. 27 (AP).—The world's largest operating airplane, the Navy's flying boat Mars, returned yesterday from Honolulu to complete its first round trip as a passenger and cargo plane in the Pacific theater of war. The craft made the flight of almost 2400 miles from Honolulu in 12 hours and 17 minutes.

Commander Gene Tunney, former world's heavyweight boxing champion, was among the eight passengers. He returned to the United States after seven months of duty in the Southwest and South Pacific battle fronts.

In addition to the passengers and 17 crew members the Mars carried a record load of 20,000 pounds of mail.

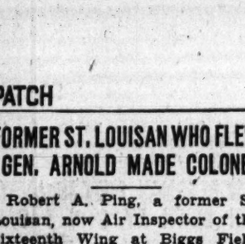
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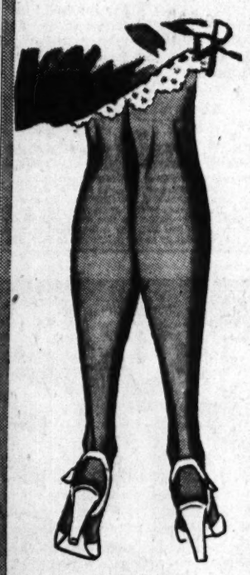
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"CAMEL" for the favorite cigarette with men in the Navy

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He is proud, too, of the part he is playing to help his plant beat its quota in the 4th War Loan Drive. For he is making more money today than he ever has, and he realizes that part of those extra wartime earnings MUST, in all decency, go to back up our boys at the battlefronts.

That's why every worker who is purchasing War Bonds regularly on the payroll plan is asked to *increase* the amount during this drive. You are asked to invest in *extra* War Bonds—to do your part to help *your* plant meet its quota.

Every American is being asked, during this 4th War Loan Drive, to invest in *extra* Bonds. Buy at least one extra $100 Series E War Bond. That will cost you $75 and you get back at maturity $100, or $4 for every $3 you have invested. Invest more if you possibly can—$200, $300, $400—invest to the very limit of your ability.

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"That's why I'd like you to try my new Blue Bonnet Margarine on *hot* food. Then I *know* you'll agree it's got that real, honest-to-goodness *table-spread flavor* that makes things really appetizing!

"You see, when we make Blue Bonnet Margarine, we use rich, nutritious vegetable oils... fresh pasteurized skim milk... all from fine American farms. And we toiled for months over the recipe so you folks can have a *real table-spread*—chock-full of fresh, sweet, delicious flavor right down to the last tempting bit!"

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BACK THE 4th WAR LOAN DRIVE

TELLS OF CUTTING EX-GOV. LECHE IN ON GAS DEAL

Two Other Partners Left Out of 'Second Rodessa Contract,' Louisianian Testifies.

MONROE, La., Jan. 27 (AP).—A Federal Power Commission hearing continued here today its attempt to establish whether four Louisianians can legally operate as a natural gas company without benefit of either gas wells or leases.

Government attorneys charge that the partners, one of whom is former Gov. Richard W. Leche, no longer are entitled to receive profits from contracts for delivery of gas to the United Gas Pipeline Co. Testimony has stated that the men still are receiving money on contracts eight years old at a profit of 1.2 cents per thousand cubic feet.

Other partners besides Leche are W. C. Feazel of Monroe, Thomas J. Hill of New Orleans and J. F. Hodge of Ruston.

Feazel testified yesterday before Trial Examiner Edward B. Marsh that he and Leche paired off from the others in one deal known as the "second Rodessa contract."

He said that Leche didn't know he was negotiating this particular contract with United Gas "until I had signed it and told him he had a third interest in it."

He added that the contract was an amended contract of the first Rodessa contract two years earlier in 1936 which included all four partners.

Feazel gave as his reason for including Leche in on the profits the fact that the former Governor had advanced him money on other ventures which were "without profit."

Leche is serving a Federal penitentiary sentence on conviction of mail fraud.

WAR MAPS FOR MEN IN PACIFIC

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Australia, Jan. 20 (Delayed) (AP).—News from world war fronts is distributed weekly among American soldiers in the Southwest Pacific through Newsmap, a publication by the information section of United States Army forces in the Far East.

Printed in Sydney, Newsmap is distributed on the basis of one to every 50 soldiers. It contains color maps, photos of sea, land and air actions on the various fronts, and briefly-told stories of the fighting, with background and explantory material.



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Pork Loin Roast Lb. 23c

RIB END FIRST CUTS 3 POINTS
Pork Chops Lb. 25c

SKINNED—WHOLE, 10-14 LB. AVERAGE 5 POINTS
Smoked Hams Lb. 31c
(Skinned Whole, 14-18 Lb. Average, Lb. 29c—5 Points)

SMOKED—CENTER CUTS ONLY 8 POINTS
Ham Slices Lb. 48c

FRESHLY 6 POINTS
Ground Beef 2 Lbs. 45c

SHORT SHANK—SHOULDER, 5-7 LB. AVG. 2 POINTS
Smoked Callies Lb. 27c

BONELESS—WAFER SLICED 10 POINTS
Boiled Ham Center Cuts Only ½ Lb. 35c

SMALL LINK BREAKFAST 4 POINTS
Pork Sausage Lb. Pkg. 39c

VISKING OR PARCHMENT 4 POINTS
Pork Sausage Lb. 35c

STANDING—FIRST 6 RIBS ONLY 6 POINTS
Rib Roast of Beef 10-In. Cut Lb. 25c

SQUARE-CUT SHOULDER 3 POINTS
Lamb Roast Lb. 27c

BREAST OR NECK 1 POINT
Lamb Stew 2 Lbs. 35c

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Sliced Bacon Package or Layers Lb. 35c

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WHITE STAR 7 Pts.
Tuna Fish 7-Oz. Tin 30c

FRESH DAISY AMERICAN 10 PTS. **Cheese** Lb. 35c
MORRELL'S 2 POINTS **Lard** Lb. Ctn. 16c
ARMOUR'S 2 POINTS **Potted Meat** ½ Tin 10c
KRAFT'S CHEESE 5 POINTS **Velveeta** 8-Oz. Pkg. 23c
SUNNYFIELD 16 POINTS **Butter** ¼'s 47c
FOR SALADS OR COOKING 10 PTS. **Mazola** Quarts 55c
OLEOMARGARINE 6 POINTS **Parkay** Lb. Ctn. 24c
CHEESE SPREADS 3 PTS. **Kraft's** 5-Oz. Glass 18c

JANE PARKER CAKE **White Duchess Layer** Ea. 40c

Green Stamp Values!

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A&P SAUCE **Tomato** 8-Oz. Tin 6c
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MARVEL SLICED **White Bread** 24-Oz. Loaf 10c
MARVEL 100% **Whole Wheat** 16-Oz. Loaf 9c
JANE PARKER FRESH **Donuts** 6 Plain 6 Sugared 16c
JANE PARKER COFFEE CAKE **Fruit Nut** Ea. 21c
JANE PARKER BUNS **Cinnamon** Pkg. 14c

Jumbo 20-25 Count **Shrimp** Lb. 47c

EVAP. MILK **White House** 3 Tall Cans 26c (1 BR. PT. PER CAN)

A&P'S FINEST QUALITY LARGE GRADE A **Sunnybrook Eggs** Doz. Ctn. 43c
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100% Pure Shortening **DEXO** 3-Lb. Cts. 65c IS BROWN POINTS

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FLORIDA JUICY—200-216 SIZES
Oranges 2 Doz. 49c

TEXAS SEEDLESS—54-64 SIZES
Grapefruit
80 SIZE, 10 for 39c
5 For 29c

IDAHO **Russet Potatoes** 50-Lb. Bag, $1.94 (Wt. Approx.) 10 Lbs. 43c
CRISP **Fresh Carrots** 2 Bunches 15c
FLORIDA **New Potatoes** 5 Lbs. 29c
TEXAS 30-SIZE **Broccoli** 2 Bunches 25c
CALIF. ICEBERG 48-SIZE **Head Lettuce** 2 Heads 23c
FLORIDA 48-54 SIZE **Fresh Celery** 2 Stalks 25c

CALIF. NAVELS—176-200 SIZES **Oranges** Doz. 37c
FRESH **Mushrooms** Pt. 25c

IVORY **Snow** Large Pkg. 23c 2 Small Pkgs. 19c
LAUNDRY SOAP **P&G** Reg. Bar 4c
WHITE SAIL **Bluing** Bottle 6c

A&P KITCHEN **MATCHES** 6 boxes 29c
TOILET SOAP **PALMOLIVE** 3 Cakes 20c

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CALLAHAN ESTATE $100,000

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 27 (AP).—W. E. Callahan, contractor who died here Jan. 5, left an estate valued at $100,000 to his widow and two daughters, his will on file in Probate Court showed today.

In the will Callahan acknowledged half of his estate went to his wife as community property. He left an undivided half interest in the estate to his two daughters, Mrs. Vincent Flynn and Mrs. William M. Flynn. All thre beneficiaries live in St. Louis.

Mrs. Callahan and Mrs. William Flynn live at 4914 Argyle avenue, and Mrs. Vincent Flynn at 9 Godwin lane, Ladue.

VETERANS RESPOND TO NEW JOB PROGRAM

106 Apply as Center Opens—Referred to Work or Rehabilitation Training.

Scores of war veterans were making their way today into United States Employment Service office, 410 North Broadway, to take advantage of the Government's new expanded program to find them work.

W. F. Lubbock, chief of the Veterans' Employment Division of the St. Louis office, said his unit, serving as a demonstration center with others in six major cities throughout the country, handled 106 applicants yesterday as the St. Louis center officially opened.

He said each one was referred either to a suitable job or sent to a rehabilitation training center in order to be placed later. Within 15 minutes after walking into the office, four veterans were at work in a war plant, Lubbock said.

"Our unit has been in existence some time," he said, "and the demonstration center just opened represents merely an expansion of the service we have been giving veterans."

The Veterans' unit, he continued, is now a major division of the Employment Service office, with a staff of 11 full time employes, while the remainder of the 250 persons on the entire office staff are being trained to serve veterans.

In addition, he said, three employes are being trained especially to handle cases of disabled veterans seeking employment, while an advisory committee composed of physicians, rehabilitation experts, vocational workers, educators and psychologists will aid the center in carrying out its program.

Lubbock said a testing program has been inaugurated by the unit to facilitate the handling of men seeking employment in other occupations than they followed before military service or those who entered service from school and have no occupation.

When the new program gets fully under way, he said, the unit probably will handle more than 500 men a week. To date, he added, most veterans are seeking employment in jobs with a postwar future but there still are a few who "want to help their buddies in the front lines" by getting a war plant job.

One applicant placed yesterday was a 22-year-old Marine wounded in the Guadalcanal campaign and discharged last October who wanted war work.

"He was a truck driver before the war," the director said, "so within a short time we placed him at the McQuay-Norris Company driving a light pickup truck. He was hired permanently until time comes for training for a better job, which he can accept or reject."

Records will be carefully kept for the next six weeks Lubbock said, and at the end of that period, work of the local demonstration center will be evaluated along that of the other six centers, upon which will be based the pattern for 1500 new Veteran Employment offices which will be opened throughout the country.

Gen. William C. Rose, Washington, D. C., chief of the executive services of the War Manpower Commission, today visited the office of the United States Employment Service here as part of his tour of the seven demonstration centers.

$27,500 TO WRECK HAZARD

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorized the War Department today to purchase and wreck the hazardous grain elevator on property adjacent to Lambert-St. Louis Field. The authorization will permit the War Department to acquire the elevator for $27,500 using city funds for the purpose.

The city will also pay all wrecking costs. In the event that the owners of the elevator, the Florissant Valley Co-operative Association, decline to sell at the appraisal figure, the city will institute condemnation proceedings.

HOUSE ORDERS INQUIRY ON 2 FEDERAL JUDGES

Resolution Dealing With Activities of Pennsylvania Jurists Voted Without Dissent.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—An early investigation of the judicial activities of United States District Judges Albert W. Johnson and Albert L. Watson of Pennsylvania was voted by the House yesterday without a dissenting voice.

The resolution was called up by Chairman Sumners (Dem.), Texas, of the House Judiciary Committee under unanimous consent. Sumners said the investigation would be conducted, without speci..l counsel, "as soon as possible." He said he had not yet named a chairman to conduct it, but it was expected Representative Kefauver (Dem.), Tennessee, who headed a subcommittee which made preliminary investigations, would be selected. Kefauver previously told reporters that if an investigation were ordered it would involve bankruptcy proceedings and general judicial administration.

11 Freed of Gambling Charge.

Eleven Negroes arrested Jan. 18 at 4052 Cook avenue and charged with gambling by police who said they saw six of them around a table on which were various sums of money, were discharged by Police Judge George J. Grellner yesterday. The Judge upheld the contention of the Negroes that they were in a private home.

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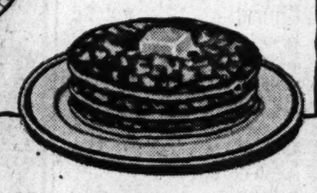
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VEAL Leg, Loin, 27¢ | PORK BUTTS Lb. 30¢ | PORK LOIN ROAST, Lb. 25¢
12-Oz. Bottle Victory Hot Sauce ___ 15c | Butter ___ Lb. 43c
Rinso ___ Lge. Pkg. 23c | Lifebuoy Soap ___ 3 Bars 20c
Durkee Oleo ___ Lb. 24c; 2 Lbs. 47c | Muenster Cheese ___ Lb. 35c
16-Oz. Peach Preserves ___ 25c | Toilet Soap ___ 2 Bars 5c
Yellow Sweet Potatoes ___ ½-Pk. Bskt. 14c | Grapefruit ___ 3 for 10c
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KREY'S Pork Roast Fresh Butts Almost Boneless — Lb. 33c
KREY'S Fancy Breakfast Bacon 2 to 4-lb. pieces — Lb. 31c
KREY'S Country Style PURE PORK SAUSAGE Lb. 37c
KREY'S PURE LARD 2-lb. carton — 35c
KREY'S HEAD CHEESE or LIVER SAUSAGE Country Style — Lb. 35c

ORANGES Sunkist—Navel 176-Size — Doz. 38¢
CELERY Florida—Medium Size — Stalk 10¢
GRAPEFRUIT 64-Size—Texas Seedless — 2 for 11¢
POTATOES Neb. Washed Triumphs — 10 Lbs. 40¢
CARROTS Large Bunch — 10¢

FANCY ADRIATIC FIGS — Lb. 32¢ Point Free!
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Gets Year for Killing Man.

Eugenia Norwood, 33 years old, a Negro, of 3121 Evans avenue, was sentenced to one year in the workhouse yesterday by Circuit Judge James F. Nangle, after she pleaded guilty of manslaughter in shooting Everett Reynolds, a Negro. The shooting followed a tavern brawl.

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RAMIREZ ORDERS MERCHANT FLEET TO STAY IN PORT

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ocean and often said to be maintained by the Germany embassy, might close at the same time.

One question which is expected to be settled quickly is who will handle Argentine interests in Germany and Japan. The newspaper Noticias Graficas said last night it probably would be Sweden, although Switzerland and Spain were other possibilities.

Favorable Stock Reaction.

The effects of the diplomatic break on the Argentine financial world still were uncertain, but the first reaction on the stock exchange was favorable. Clients were hastening to withdraw accounts from German banks.

Buenos Aires generally seemed happy over the government action, although most persons expressed curiosity to know the details of the spy story which caused the rupture.

The full story of the spy ring, when disclosed, is expected to be sensational. Many persons prominent in Argentine social affairs were understood to be implicated and numerous arrests were being made.

Press Censorship Eased.

Argentine newspapers, released to some extent from strict censorship rules which forbid criticism of belligerents, turned to with a will yesterday and printed reports of German espionage and propaganda activities.

A leading afternoon newspaper, Critica, promptly got itself in trouble with an editorial in an "I-told-you-so" vein, pointing out that it had often called attention to activities of Nazi agents. It was suspended for three days by government order.

Noticias Graficas published a photograph of Hitler with the caption "suffered severe reverse." An article declared the German embassy had used its diplomatic pouch and immunity to cover up activities against the United Nations.

Argentina Expected to Make New Bid for Lend-Lease.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Argentina's new position in relation to the rest of the Americas probably will be clarified when and if she again applies for lend-lease arms and supplies.

A request for such aid is expected as soon as Buenos Aires has completed reorientation of her foreign policy begun yesterday when she severed diplomatic relations with Germany and Japan.

The issue is considered by the Argentineans to be of immense importance because they see themselves suffering as a South American power in relation particularly to Brazil, which as a full-fledged fighting ally of the United States has been receiving arms and equipment since 1941.

What Washington's reaction will be, however, probably will depend on the extent to which the Buenos Aires Government has gone by then in cleaning up Axis spy nests, propaganda and revolutionary intrigue within her borders. It probably will depend also on the need Argentina can show for lend-lease in the interests of hemispheric defense and the Allied war effort.

Brazil, which has received the bulk of the lend-lease material furnished to Latin America, is not only fighting side-by-side with United States and Allied forces in the Western Hemisphere but began several weeks ago to send an expeditionary force abroad.

England Is Loser in Argentine Action, Says Ribbentrop.

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP).—German Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop decried today what he termed Argentina's surrender to United States "benevolence" and declared that in the end England, not Germany, was the loser by the Argentine severance of diplomatic relations with the Axis.

"Germany practically loses nothing . . . neither in regard to prosecution of the war nor in postwar interests. The real loser in this diplomatic act is England. England, in the course of the war, has been compelled to sacrifice the major part of her Central and South American interests to the United States ally. She finally is going to lose her position in Argentina."

HIKE IN FEBRUARY MEAT, LARD AND CHEESE POINTS

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shortages of some kinds of meat, than to have any waste because of insufficient points."

Pork loin cuts—such as roasts, center and end chops and tenderloin—were raised a point, OPA explained, because these choice items are becoming relatively scarce in some parts of the country.

Excessive consumer demand caused the hike of cheese values, OPA said.

SALE OF COAL SPRAY BARRED

The Federal Trade Commission announced today that the Kol-Tone Manufacturing Co. of St. Louis, now defunct, had been ordered to cease and desist from selling a chemical spray that had been represented as a product to decrease soot and smoke and increase heating efficiency when mixed with bituminous coal.

The order was directed against Gus H. Cohn, head of the concern. The commission, in its complaint filed two years ago, said the mixture, known as Kol-Tone and Koltreat, largely consisted of common salt.

PENICILLIN SENT HERE ON PLEA TO F. D. R. SAVES BOY

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spends the day listening to the radio, playing with new friends and studying. He said he liked to study arithmetic and spelling. Last Sunday his father, Paul Long, wheeled him to a soccer game.

Asked about what he would like to do first when he is able to walk again, Dickie replied, smiling: "Go to a motion picture show."

Thefts of Charity Gifts.

Thefts of small amounts of money from milk bottles placed in five different confectioneries and meat markets to receive contributions to the National Infantile Paralysis Campaign were reported to police today by Emil Diehn, driver for the Pevely Milk Co., who put the bottles in the stores.

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Cook 1 cup brown rice, 1 tsp. salt and 3½ c. water in covered, double boiler until rice is tender and water absorbed. Add 1 tbsp. butter, 2 eggs—slightly beaten—1 cups canned minced shrimp, salt and pepper. Shape into cones. Roll in cracker crumbs and beaten egg. Fry in deep fat (375° F). Serves 8.

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	3 Large Pkgs.	60

Michigan Legislators' Indictment Climaxes 29-Yr. Small-Loan Fight

Charges by One-Man Grand Jury Involve Finance Firm Lobbying on Recent Bills—Officer of One Concern Admits Guilt.

By CARL MULLER
A Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

DETROIT, Jan. 27.—A 29-year-old battle on behalf of Michigan's hard-pressed—the poor—has come to a climax at Lansing, the capital, with the indictment of 20 legislators and representatives of six finance companies on charges of operating a cash-and-carry legislative business.

If the charges in the indictment stand up in the trials which are to come, small-loan and finance-company lobbyists paid with cash for the kind of legislation they wanted, and got the goods.

There are already indications that the general charges will be sustained. Ernest J. Prew of Detroit, vice-president of the General Finance Corp. of Chicago and the man in charge of the local offices, has pleaded guilty. In admitting guilt, he said he had become the "victim of vicious circumstances in the legislative halls of our state."

Those "vicious circumstances" have been the subject of whispers (and sometimes shouts) of corruption for at least 10 years.

They involve legislators, hungry for money, who are willing to betray the public interest for the sake of the cash they know that lobbyists have in their jeans. And they involve lobbyists whose theory is that they are justified in using whatever means may be required to protect year-end corporate balance sheets.

Three Bills Involved.

Involved in the first indictment were three bills which became law in 1939. One of these measures amended the old law, which provided a flat interest rate of 3½ per cent a month on small loans (defined as loans of $300 or less). The new law provides a rate of 2½ per cent on the first $100 of any loan and 3 per cent on any amount over $100, up to $300.

Not all the lobbyists were in agreement, but the majority of them were behind the measure which was enacted in 1939. They were working in its behalf to ward off several other bills which were before the Legislature to still further reduce the interest rate.

One of hte most active lobbyists was Julian S. Thompson of Chicago, representing the Household Finance Co., a Chicago corporation with offices in every major city in the United States. He was a grand jury witness last fall.

A curious fact was that the small-loan lobby was supported by the Better Business Bureau of Detroit, Michigan social agencies, and other groups formed to promote the general public welfare.

These groups argued that lower rates would drive out legitimate capital and encourage the return of the illegal "loan shark" or salary buyer, operating without licensing, supervision or regulation and charging up to 240 per cent a year.

A commentary on these arguments is to be found in the report of the Michigan State Banking Department in 1941. The department recommended a reduction to 2 per cent on sums in the $200-$300 bracket because of a profit showing of nearly 10 per cent by small-loan companies. The recommendation, incidentally, was never followed.

Repossession Abuses.

The two other 1939 laws involved in the indictment concern finance companies. These two bills were designed to control abuses in the repossession of automobiles, household goods and other merchandise purchased on the installment plan. As finally enacted, they tightened control somewhat, but to a lesser extent than the sponsors of the measures had desired.

Much of the debate on the finance company bills paralleled debate on the small-loan measures.

Each side impugned the motives of the other and posed as the only true friend of the poor man who is the small-loan or finance company client.

Legislators seeking drastic reductions in interest rates, or control of contract foreclosures, were accused of being interested in nothing more than shakedowns.

Legislators opposing reductions were portrayed as hirelings of the small loan companies.

In the back ground, throughout, were the lobbyists.

The small loan companies and finance companies, it is charged, pooled their funds to get the kind of legislation they wanted. Lobbyists watched every move from the galleries. They established headquarters in hotel suites where liquor flowed freely and the lawmaker was always welcome. Legislators from the hinterlands enjoyed the luxury of room-service banquets with gleaming silver and spotless linens.

And the word went out that there was money to be had.

According to the grand jury indictment which was issued last week, at least $20,000 was involved. At the same time, it was hinted that there would be future indictments, with additional revelations of graft. It has been estimated that the sum was at least two times $20,000.

And that was in only one legislative session. The small loan issue, especially, was a hardy biennial and 1939 was not the first years in which a lobby was at work.

In 1937 there was a fight to reduce the then legal 3½ per cent, but it failed. In 1933, in the depths of the depression, a bill calling for a flat 1¾ per cent was adopted, but was vetoed by William A. Comstock, then Governor. At that time there were open charges before a House committee of money being paid for votes and a notorious lobbyist made a hasty exit from his hotel by way of the freight elevator. But nothing happened.

The One-Man Grand Jury.

The present exposures came as a result of inquiry into legislative graft in general by the one-man grand jury at Lansing. The one-man grand jury is peculiar to Michigan. Any group of citizens can petition for such a grand jury to any court of record. If the petition is granted, a Judge of the court is designated a one-man grand jury. He has wide authority.

In the present case, the Judge is Leland W. Carr of the Ingham County Circuit Court. He has conducted his work in spite of frantic efforts to impede his way. He has the first requisite of a one-man grand juror, absolute fearlessness.

In his first indictment, Judge Carr was careful not to recite details of the graft conspiracy which he charged. The purpose of this was to keep the defendants from knowing who their accusers will be, and how much of the sordid story is in the grand jury's possession.

There have been hints, however, that the full story will bear out much of the scandalous whispering that has been current through the years.

This whispering started when the first small-loan bill was enacted in Michigan in 1915, fixing a rate of 3 per cent on sums under $100 and 2 per cent on sums above that amount up to $300.

In spite of opposition, this remained the law until 1925, when a flat 3½ per cent rate was legalized. In the free-spending '20s, there was not too much protest. But with the depression, with tens of thousands hard pressed, the story changed. Complaints over paying 24 per cent interest a year became numerous.

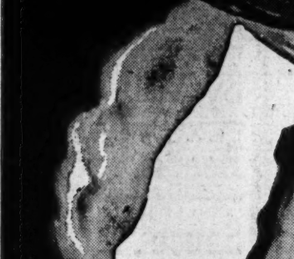
The small-loan companies, however, managed to retain the 3½ per cent a month law until 1939.

Finance company abuses also

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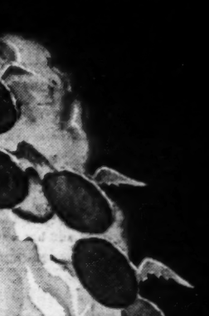



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Lt. Neil David Campbell testified he overhead Webb mention the names of two ships and 'something about American troops" in a telephone call made from a hotel lobby booth Jan. 18. Webb denied mentioning American troops.

The defense explained that Webb, assigned to cover ships' arrival, was communicating to his office information in an authorized manner and had no knowledge that the booth was not sound proof.

MICHIGAN GRAFT INDICTMENTS ON LOAN BILLS

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Kim Sigler, the special grand jury prosecutor, has pointed out that on all the finance-company and small-loan legislation, there were cross currents in and out of the Legislature, some of them complicated. Conclusions should not be drawn, he said, from the fact that not all the indicted legislators voted the same way.

But the warrant left no doubt that a duly constituted authority was charging the purchase and sale of legislation in callous disregard of the public interest—and above all the interests of the poor.

ELLEN WILKINSON CHOSEN HEAD OF BRITISH LABOR PARTY

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Miss Ellen Wilkinson, member of the House of Commons from Durham, was elected chairman of the Labor party last night. She is the third woman chosen for that post. Harold J. Laski, economist-educator who has taught at both Yale and Harvard, was named vice-chairman.

Toscanini's Daughter Flees Italy.

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 27 (AP).—The Zurich correspondent of Dagens Nyheter said last night that Countess Walli Castelbraco, a daughter of Arturo Toscanini, the orchestra leaders, had fled from Italy, presumably to Switzerland.

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ALGIERS, Jan. 27 (AP).—Germany and Japan are carrying on a lively traffic in vital war materials despite strenuous Allied efforts to stamp it out, according to refugees from Nazi-occupied France.

Speedy blockade runners and cargo submarines, dodging Allied sea and air patrols all the way from French ports to Singapore and Yokohama, transported more than 300,000 tons of critically needed supplies in each direction during the 12 months after Pearl Harbor, the refugees asserted. Cargo planes augmented the traffic, it was said.

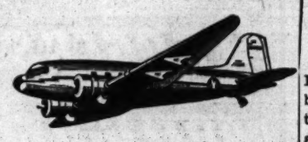
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FIGHT ON FLOOR LIKELY ON SENATE REDISTRICTING

If Committee Insists on Change, Opposition in Convention May Suggest Commission.

By CURTIS A. BETTS
State Political Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 27.—Despite efforts of influential members of the Constitutional Convention to prevent submission of senatorial redistricting to the convention, it is now certain that the issue of repeal of the present gerrymander and the substitution of an equitable redistricting will be one of the major fights on the floor.

Ruby W. Benecke, Republican delegate from Brunswick, an advocate of districting by the convention, said at a committee meeting yesterday that it was his hope and expectation that the committee would submit a detailed plan, but that, if it failed to do so, a minority report would be taken to the floor.

Former Senator L. N. Searcy of Eminence, Democrat and chairman of the committee, is outspokenly against any attempt at redistricting.

Although party lines are not drawn exactly on the issue, in the main the Democrats, beneficiaries for 40 years of the present districting, are opposed to any change, while the Republicans are insistent on convention action.

Opposition Fears.

Included among the opponents are those partisan Democrats who are actuated in their position by the desire for retention of the present party advantage, but with them are some delegates who sincerely believe that injection of a subject which is certain to arouse partisan antagonisms will create a schism injurious to successful solution of other problems. They also express fear that submission of a districting plan in the proposed Constitution would result in widespread political opposition to its adoption.

At a meeting of the committee yesterday afternoon, Delegate Alroy S. Phillips of St. Louis proposed that the committee go on record favoring submission of redistricting and that a subcommittee be appointed to study the several plans in proposals introduced in the convention and prepare a substitute.

Searcy, sparring for time because of the absence of some committee members who supposedly are opposed to districting by the convention, objected to taking a vote on the motion. On his objection that the matter was one which should be considered by the entire committee, an agreement was reached to defer action until the meeting of the committee next Wednesday.

While present political conditions indicate that the Republicans will control the next Senate, notwithstanding the Democratic gerrymander, they realize that the condition probably is temporary, and that the Democrats probably would regain control in 1946 or 1948.

If it is found that a majority of the committee favor some handling of the subject, the opposition is expected to attempt to substitute a provision setting up a commission to district the State, rather than have the districting done by the convention.

Keeps Same Split for Schools.

Retention of the present constitutional provision for the earmarking of not less than 25 per cent of state revenue for the public schools was decided on last night by the convention Committee on Education.

The committee rejected the demand of the State Teachers Association, presented by Delegate R. F. Wood of Warrensburg, for a provision setting aside one third of the revenue for schools.

While the Constitution has contained the "not less than 25 per cent" provision since its adoption in 1875, it has been customary for many years for the Legislature to make the allotment one-third.

The Convention Committee on the Executive Department, preparing its report recommending the cabinet form of government in Missouri, yesterday reversed its previous decision to make the office of Secretary of State elective and to include in his duties the postaudits of all State offices.

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U. S. POLICY ON DE GAULLE UNCHANGED; FRANCE SAME AS ANY OTHER OCCUPIED LAND

State Department for AMG Policing, Feeding People and Restoring Order—Against English Suggestion of Wider Recognition for Free French Group.

By MARQUIS W. CHILDS
A Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.

DESPITE all reports to the contrary, the State Department is determined to follow the pattern long since decided on for the reoccupation of France and to police the country with Allied military forces, feed the people and restore order so that the French people will ultimately have an opportunity to decide on the kind of government they want.

Following the meeting on Jan. 13 between Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Gen. Charles de Gaulle, president of the French Committee of National Liberation, there were widely printed reports that Allied policy would change; even to the extent of arming the French underground and permitting a full-scale French army to participate in the invasion instead of a token army.

From an authoritative source, the Post-Dispatch has learned that the American attitude remains the same, with Secretary of State Hull and President Roosevelt in complete agreement on holding to a uniform pattern for all occupied countries, including France.

The British are taking the opposite view. They would like to grant wider recognition to De Gaulle's committee and even concede to the committee the right to form a temporary government when France is reoccupied by Allied troops.

The State Department, at the direction of President Roosevelt, has always taken the more conservative view. Some officials in the department have been bitter against De Gaulle, accusing him of Fascist connections and leanings.

Murphy Influential.

Policy-making officials in the State Department still say that information out of France indicates the ordinary Frenchman—apart from politicians and extremists on both sides—does not support De Gaulle. Undoubtedly influential in determining the American point of view is Robert Murphy, the State Department representative in North Africa who helped to pave the way for the deal with the late Adm. Darlan which preceded American conquest of that area. Murphy is now in Washington for consultation with higher-ups. Also here at this time is Edwin C. Wilson who is the United States representative to the French committee in Algiers.

An evidence of official determination to maintain what is regarded as a complete hands-off policy is seen in the discussion that preceded the final decision on what form the currency for reoccupied France should take. At first it was felt it should carry the name of the French Committee of National Liberation. Then it was decided that this would, in effect, confirm De Gaulle and his committee in power in France.

In later conversations, the designation "Republic of France" was discussed as sufficient for the currency which occupying forces will carry in with them. Finally it was felt that even this implied a political decision made in behalf of a subject people who have no choice. Undoubtedly, it was pointed out, the French will want to restore their republic but leave the way open for the decision to come from them; they might conceivably want a monarchy or a system of soviets such as governs Russia.

Not Giraud-De Gaulle Issue.

This, it is emphasized within the department, is how far policy-makers prefer to go in avoiding any semblance of imposing a government on France. It does not involve any issue between De Gaulle and his one-time rival, Gen Giraud, who has now taken second place, it is stressed. Suspicious of De Gaulle, the State Department from the beginning has tried to find a focus of strength around elements more conservative than those led by the dynamic De Gaulle.

The meeting between Churchill and De Gaulle at Marrakech in French Morocco was historic for more reasons than one. Such bad feeling had existed between the two leaders that it seemed doubtful if they could ever again shake hands and talk amicably. Subsequent statements issued by the British and by De Gaulle left no doubt as to the cordiality of the meeting.

Churchill Memorandum.

One reason for the hostility that prevailed was the confidential Churchill memorandum on De Gaulle and the Free French which was allowed to "leak" to certain Washington columnists. At the time the State Department was accused of showing the document to certain friendly commentators who then made it public. Exceedingly bitter, the memorandum is said to have contained the sentence about the Prime Minister feeling that the cross he had to bear in this war was the Free French Cross of Lorraine.

Naturally, all this served further to anger De Gaulle and his followers. They had been incensed by the limited nature of the recognition accorded their committee by the British and the Americans. They insisted, as they continue to insist, that theirs was the only government-in-exile France has and that it was far more representative of sentiment within the occupied country than most exile regimes now in London.

The contest for power between De Gaulle and Giraud was then at its height. At the personal invitation of Roosevelt, Giraud visited this country and was given a state dinner at the White House. Giraud's tour backfired, however and helped to make French friends for De Gaulle. It soon became apparent that Giraud had almost no political support.

Circumstances have formed an increasing degree of collaboration with the French committee in Algiers. Recently a parliamentary group named by De Gaulle reported to the full committee a compromise plan under which the committee would form merely a temporary government to be supplanted later by the voters under a carefully worked out scheme. This is considered a concession which the British hoped would win over American opinion. There is not the slightest indication, however, that this has taken place.

ARMISTICE CONTROL GROUP IN ITALY EXPECTED TO TAKE OVER AMG SOON

NAPLES, Jan. 27 (AP).

THE Armistice Control Commission is preparing to take over some functions of the Allied Military Government in Italy and there are indications that AMG may soon be fully absorbed.

The Armistice Commission, operating under Lt. Gen. Noel Mason MacFarlane, was established last fall to carry out the Italian armistice terms and to align Italian economy "in complete support of the United Nations' fight against Germany." The AMG governs liberated areas.

An advisory council representing the United States, Britain, Russia and the French Committee of National Liberation works with the commission. The future status of the government of Premier Pietro Badoglio remains to be determined under the projected new setup.

'DEATH TO GERMAN INVADERS' STALIN'S VICTORY SLOGAN

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Marshal Joseph Stalin, in his orders of the day announcing Russian victories, has his own system of ranking them in order of importance.

Capture of Krasnogvardeisk, for instance, was given a salute of 12 salvos by 124 guns in Moscow, signifying that Stalin considers it an important victory. Major military feats, such as the capture of Kiev, are celebrated by the firing of 20 salvos from 224 guns.

In some orders Stalin mentions by name the unit commanders and gives an indication of the scale of the operation by the number of lieutenant generals and colonel generals cited.

It may be taken for granted that any victory which merits a special order of the day is important. Lesser actions or supplemental details are left to be reported in special communiques and those of still less importance are announced in the regular communiques.

Stalin's orders invariably conclude:

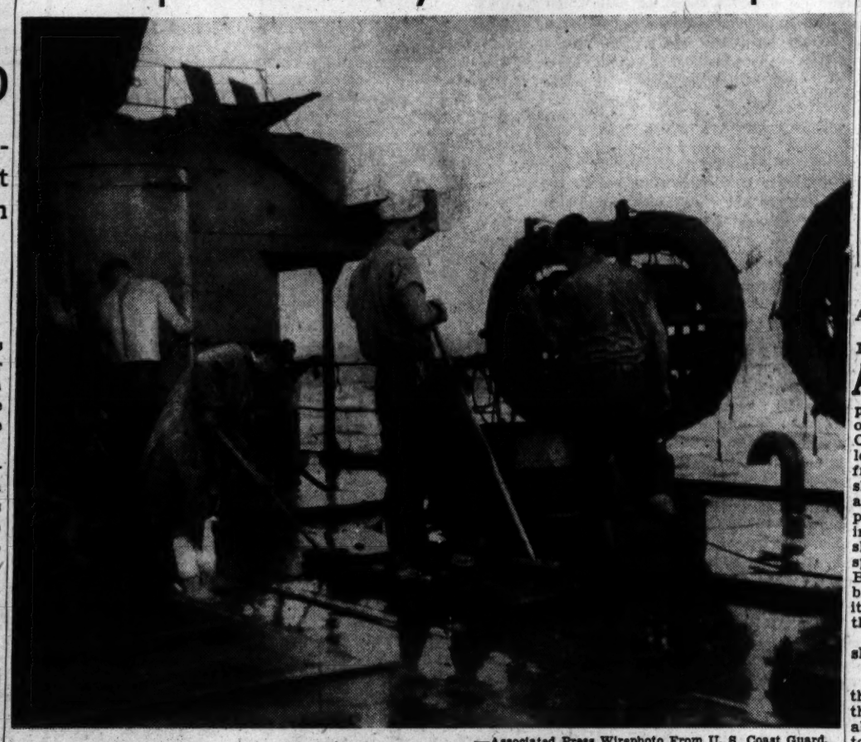
"Eternal glory to the heroes who fell in the struggle for the freedom and independence of our Motherland!

"Death to the German invaders!"

Japs Bomb Own Positions.

GUADALCANAL, Solomons, Jan. 27 (AP).—One night this week the Japanese dropped 12 bombs by mistake on their own positions on Bougainville. An American naval spokesman added: "One of our ungrateful antiaircraft batteries knocked one Jap plane down in the bay."

Jap 'Works Way' to Prison Camp



—Associated Press Wirephoto From U. S. Coast Guard.

A Japanese (with bandaged legs, left center), captured in the invasion of Cape Gloucester, New Britain Island, helps Coast Guardsmen swab the deck of a tank landing ship, en route to a base camp as a prisoner.

Little Hope in London for Friendly Solution of Polish-Russian Dispute

Moscow Expected to Recognize Committee There as Legal Government—Three Factors Against Settlement Cited.

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP).

MOSCOW'S rejection of Washington's offer to help bring the Russian and exiled Polish governments together again, taken along with other recent Soviet pronouncements, is regarded in London as the prelude to probable Soviet recognition of the Polish committee in Moscow as the legally constituted government of Poland.

Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden reaffirmed in the House of Commons yesterday Britain's policy of not recognizing wartime changes on the map of Europe "unless they take place with the free consent and good will of the parties concerned," and this declarations was taken as an oblique invitation for a friendly settlement of the Russian-Polish dispute, with Britain's blessing on any amicable solution.

However, little hope of any such solution is held here. In addition to the Soviet rejection of the American offer, these events also indicate probable Soviet recognition of the Polish committee in Moscow, called the Union of Polish Patriots in the Soviet Union:

1. The timing of yesterday's announcement that the Soviet atrocities commission had concluded the Germans committed the Katyn mass murders as a provocation. Russia broke with the Polish government in London after it asked the Red Cross to investigate German charges that Russians committed the killings.

2. The Soviet government newspaper Izvestia's bitter assertion that the Polish government in London actively participated in a "campaign of slander" in the Katyn incident "to please Hitler." "In the light of undeniable facts the shameful role of the Polish government becomes more apparent," it said. ". . . This Polish government has done great harm to Poland."

3. Publication Tuesday in Wolna Polska, newspaper of the Polish committee in Moscow, of an editorial urging creation of a "political center" uniting the Poles in Russia with those in the homeland, ready to "enter Poland together with victorious detachments of the Polish Army and restore the liberated country to the hands of the people who will themselves decide their fate."

Circles close to the Polish government in London declared that this last point brought into the open what they contended Moscow had been planning all along—to "set up" in Warsaw a government friendly to it.

SPAIN REAFFIRMS NEUTRALITY DESPITE OUTSIDE PRESSURES

MADRID, Jan. 27 (AP).—Count Francisco Gomez Jordana, Spanish Foreign Minister, reaffirmed Spain's neutrality today despite what he said was a war of nerves by the belligerents to force her to choose between the two sides.

His statement to the Falangist party newspaper Arriba said that Spain "is determined to assure respect for rights which are due her as a neutral, persecuting with all severity the plans of foreigners who disturb internal order and the line of her policy."

Argentina's decision to break with the Axis is a decision of great interest in Spain, which maintains close relations with the Argentine Government. The Spanish press carried bulletins announcing the rupture.

SPY CASE AGAINST SAILOR DISMISSED AT DETROIT

DETROIT, Jan. 27 (AP).—Following a finding that Bertrand Stuart Hoffman was not sufficiently sane to comprehend the nature of the charges against him, United States District Judge Edward J. Moinet today discharged the merchant seaman as a co-defendant in an espionage conspiracy trial.

Discharge of Hoffman left Dr. Fred W. Thomas, Detroit physician, as the only defendant.

Four women and a man, indicted with Dr. Thomas and Hoffman on charges that they operated a spy ring in Detroit for the German Government, have pleaded guilty.

Pyle Tells How One Pilot Got Enemy Plane

Propeller Blast Downed Little Fellow After Dive Had Missed.

By ERNIE PYLE
A Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

IN ITALY, Jan. 27 (By Wireless).

AROUND the airdrome they joke about how one pilot won his victory over an enemy plane. It seems he caught a tiny observation plane, similar to our Cubs, while he was out on a low-level mission. As soon as the frightened little enemy saw our ships, he got as low to the ground as he could. One of our planes pulled up and came down at him in a dive. The little plane was so slow that our pilot misjudged its speed and completely missed him. But as he shot past, his propeller blast caught the little ship, threw it upside down, and it dived into the ground—quite fatally.

There's more than one way to skin a cat, as they say.

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You laugh at some very sad things in wartime. For instance, the pilots tell with merriment about the fate of a German motorcyclist. Our planes were strafing a mountain road one day. They saw this German motorcyclist, who in his terror kept looking back over his shoulder at the approaching planes, and consequently rode right off the highway and over the edge of a 400-foot cliff.

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In describing what it feels like to fly one of our high-powered fighting planes, one of our pilots said: "You're just sitting there with a thousand horses in your lap and a feather in your tail."

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Reaction to 'This Is the Army.'

ONE night I went into a little Italian town with some pilots to see the movie, "This Is the Army." The Air Forces had taken over a local theater, and as long as you were in uniform all you had to do was to walk in and sit down. About a third of the audience were pilots and the rest mechanics. I couldn't help but be interested in their reaction to the picture. On the whole they applauded, but every time the action got a little gooey or mushily pa-

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Ruins of Smolensk Rank Next To Stalingrad; Of 7900 Buildings Before War Only 300 Are Intact

Reconstruction Job to Take Four Years—Belated Details of 1941 Battle Reveal Germans Took Part of City July 15, but Reds Clung to Section Until Aug. 1.

By HENRY C. CASSIDY
SMOLENSK, Jan. 27 (AP).

AFTER serving as the ground for two major battles and the scene of some of the most horrible acts of the war, Smolensk—"the city which stands on bones"—today is struggling slowly back to life.

I heard some details of the 1941 battle of Smolensk—"the unknown battle" of this war—and I saw some evidence of the harshness of the campaign on the eastern front during a visit to the city.

Its devastation is surpassed only by Stalingrad. Its ground is estimated to hold 135,000 dead from killings. Its reconstruction, on which a start has barely been made, is planned to take four years.

Along the railroad into Smolensk from the east gaunt chimneys of burned-out villages, rusted railway cars, twisted rails and broken bridges show the fury of the fighting in this region.

Stubborn Stand by Reds.

It was here that the Red Army first brought the Germans to a full halt and won time to prepare the successful defense of Moscow in 1941. At the time the battle was being fought we knew only that the Germans claimed the capture of Smolensk on July 17; the Russians announced Aug. 3 that they had abandoned the city a few days earlier.

From eyewitnesses to the battle I learned more of the story. Actually, they said, a German tank column broke through in this sector on the night of July 15-16 and entered a section of Smolensk on the high west bank of the upper Dnieper River. This section includes the walled Kremlin and residential sections.

The Russians, however, clung to a section on the low east bank, including the market place, factories and the main railroad station. Despite the relatively weak position and fire from enemy guns on the hills across the narrow stretch of river, the Russians stayed there until the night of Aug. 1, when they received orders to withdraw.

Rail Station Demolished.

The brick railway station which served as a Russian fortress during those critical two weeks was reduced to a rubble heap, but in that time the Red Army had gained its objective by delaying the Germans and of preparing for their future downfall.

The second battle of Smolensk was less severe. With the German line already shattered farther south in the Ukraine, the Russians broke through the Yartsevo and Dukhovschina sectors just east of Smolensk and recaptured the city on Sept. 25, 1943.

Four months later the population of the city, which formerly numbered 185,000, still stands at only 30,000. Of the pre-war estimate of a total of 7900 buildings in the city there now are only 300 intact. Of these only 64 are stone buildings, the others being small wooden structures.

Every steel bridge across the Dnieper connecting the two sections of the city had been destroyed, but some have been replaced with temporary wooden crossings.

Fresh Graves of Heroes.

Walking through the streets between the gaping walls of the burned-out buildings, I saw that the celebrated Kutuzov monument, commemorating the Marshal's action against Napoleon in 1812, had been removed. Only the low marble pedestal remained where the bronze statue had been. Residents said the statue had been taken away by the Germans.

Around the pedestal there were fresh graves heaped with flowers and wreaths where individual heroes of the present war are buried. Many of them were officers of divisions which recaptured the city.

Inside the Kremlin wall the gray stone Agricultural Institute was burned out by the Nazis before they evacuated the city last

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A Helpful Suggestion For Women Who Have Inherited Substantial Sums

WHEN a woman inherits a substantial estate she assumes many unfamiliar duties and heavy responsibilities. Safe-guarding the property she has inherited is not an easy task, even for a person with long experience in investing money and handling property. This task is doubly difficult for someone without previous experience in managing investments.

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JOSEPH PULITZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Zoning Needs Study

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Referring to your editorial taking the City Plan Commission to task for delaying the submission of the new zoning bill to the Board of Aldermen:

I am not interested particularly in carrying the torch for the Real Estate Exchange, but I know many of the facts surrounding this situation. I am constrained to defend the members of the City Plan Commission who refused to permit a minority of that body to rush through the legislative processes a bill of such tremendous importance to the property owners of the city of St. Louis.

Surveying the problem from a strictly dispassionate viewpoint, the motives, ability nad sincerity of those who promulgated this bill are above reproach. However, in view of the fact that it is so filled with potential dynamite, figuratively speaking, and involves the human elements of judgment and opinion on the part of the authors, and furthermore includes ramifications of a controversial nature, not universally acceptable to many persons familiar with zoning problems, there is no excuse for rushing such important legislation into law.

Unless such organizations as the Real Estate Exchange and other civic groups make a study of this bill and then submit the results of their studies to the Board of Aldermen, the property owners would have a bill foisted on them that is subject to the human frailties of the persons who composed it.

Without reflecting on the good intentions of the authors, but in defense of the action of the City Plan Commission, a casual inspection of this bill emphasizes the need of some brushing up.

ELMER B. KLEIN.

Wartime Automobile Lesson

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I hope that when the automobile manufacturers make their new cars following the war, the lesson learned by the present speed of 35 miles an hour in the saving of human life will not have been lost upon them.

I hope, as thousands of other thinking men and women must hope, that this new machine, instead of being what it has been, will be what it ought to be, a blessing. How? Just by equipping it with a 40- (or 50-) mile engine governor.

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DAVID HERRIOTT.
Chicago.

A Negro Y for Webster Groves

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

A joint committee of white and Negro citizens of Webster Groves is trying to obtain funds to build a Y. M. C. A. for the Negro boys and girls of that city. At present, there is no desirable place of recreation for the Negro youth of the community. This project is under the auspices of the Plant Avenue branch Y. M. C. A. in Webster Groves, of which R. Walston Chubb is chairman of the board of managers and E. R. Harford is chairman of the joint committee.

The project has the support of the Pine Street Y. M. C. A. staff and the approval of the Metropolitan Y board.

Most of the money is to be contributed by white and Negro citizens of Webster Groves on a membership basis. The budget for the first year is set tentatively at $9000, with the Negroes supplying $3000 of this. The campaign will run from Feb. 24 to March 16, and will be confined to the Negroes of Webster Groves, since the white citizens have raised most of their share of the fund. Since so many of our group are in the lower income bracket, they have not been called on to give heavily for projects of this type.

While some communities are doing things which are shameful to the State of Missouri, here in Webster Groves, white and colored citizens work harmoniously together on a project for the good of the minority group and the future welfare of the entire community.

A character-building agency should help curb juvenile delinquency as well as help provide a more wholesome environment for the children of this area.

This project should be an inspiration to other communities to undertake inter-racial projects as a means of developing and encouraging better race relations.

WALTER E. RUSAN.
Webster Groves.

An Old Question Is Answered

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Mrs. Henry Moreland asked in a recent letter, "Peas in a Pod?", if there is any difference between a Republican and a Democrat, meaning their beliefs and what the parties stand for.

About 25 years ago, Mrs. Asquith, a member of the British Parliament, made an extensive tour of the United States. Everywhere Mrs. Asquith visited she asked the same question, but it seems that no one could give a plausible answer.

The only answer I have ever found that seemed sensible is the following: Call them "Ins" and "Outs"—one group is in and wants to stay in; the other group is out and wants to get in.

W. A. C.

Smart Politics?

When the President's message on soldier voting was read in Congress yesterday, it brought from the Republican side boos and guffaws, charges that it was an insult to Congress and linked with the President's fourth-term ambitions. Senator Taft led the opposition and hardly distinguished himself by the nature of his attack. For example, he said:

> Under this bobtail ballot plan, 10 million American soldiers would be lined up at the polls in much the same way we used to see WPA workers lined up at the polls. They'll be told, "Here, vote this ballot."

Of course, this is sheer nonsense and, if Mr. Taft thinks the President insulted Congress in his advocacy of the Lucas-Green bill, Mr. Taft has insulted the Army and Navy, which will distribute the ballots, and the men in the armed forces, who will vote them. It is to imply that the Army and Navy are tools of the Democratic party and that the men in the armed forces would permit themselves to be influenced, coerced and regimented politically.

It was a coalition of Republicans and Southern Democrats which defeated the original Green-Lucas bill, although this coalition has nothing to offer in exchange but a phony and unworkable measure—the Eastland bill—that would set up 48 different voting systems. Apparently the same coalition now has its knife out for the revised Green-Lucas measure, even though it has been amended to preserve to the states authority to validate and count the ballots.

Is it smart politics in a presidential year, to say nothing of common garden statesmanship, for the Republicans, including Mr. Taft, a possible presidential candidate, to sneer and scoff at a proposal to let service men vote? Throughout the country is heard a rising demand that the men who are risking their lives for the nation must be given an opportunity to choose its leaders for the next four years. This demand cannot be booed off or laughed off or sneered off.

Questions of constitutionality and of voting mechanics are raised by the President's message. It is to those questions that Mr. Taft and his G. O. P. colleagues might well address themselves. Or they might abandon their advocacy of the Eastland bill that has already passed the Senate and propose a plan of their own. An opposition party has deep responsibilities in a grave matter like extending the democratic franchise to men under arms, to say nothing of the opportunity for statesmanship it should be expected to grasp in an election year.

Michigan's Small Loans Action

The notoriously corrupt small loan lobby has been called up before the bar of justice in Michigan. Six representatives of the money lenders have been indicted, along with 20 members of the Legislature who are charged with having betrayed their trust by accepting bribes.

The story of small loans lobbying and its results, as told in detail in the news columns of the Post-Dispatch today, is reminiscent of what has occurred many times in Missouri. It is the story of the lavish use of money and liquor and all the devices of the professional and unscrupulous lobbyist. The difference is that in Missouri the arm of justice has not yet reached those who are guilty of exploiting needy borrowers to fatten their own profits.

Michigan's ability to bring these lobbyists to book is an interesting commentary on the instrumentalities of law enforcement. In Michigan, on petition of the people, a Judge of a court of record may be set up as a one-man grand jury. It was such a grand jury, with an honest and fearless Judge constituting it, which has returned the indictments, after a vigorous inquiry.

In Michigan, as in Missouri, the main objective of the small loan lobby has been to preserve the right to charge interest rates of 30 to 42 per cent a year on loans of $300 or less made to persons who have to mortgage their household goods or other chattels as security. Whenever the interest rate has been reduced, it has been only after a bitter fight, and every effort at reduction in Missouri, where the maximum rate is now 36 per cent, has been met with the most vicious kind of pressure and manipulation at Jefferson City, which the people should not tolerate.

A House committee has reported that WLB is abusing its powers. This will be reassuring to a lot of people who hadn't known WLB had that much power.

A Job to Finish

Former Gov. Guy B. Park served the people well in his powerful indictment of the public utility lobby in Missouri.

When on Tuesday evening he told a committee of the Constitutional Convention the sordid facts of the intimidation and corruption by which the utilities for years have defeated the will of the people, he was the shining advocate of a great cause—the right of small cities all over Missouri to own and operate their light and power systems if that is what a majority of the voters wish.

How the committee would have voted without the eloquent appeal of the former Governor can only be surmised. What actually happened is in the record. Six of the 10 committee members present voted in favor of a proposal that the Constitution shall guarantee the right of municipalities to build or buy their own utility systems if a majority of the voters approve the issuance of revenue bonds for that purpose.

This should mark the end of one of the most determined battles ever waged by the utility lobby in Missouri. For more than 15 years, progressive citizens in all parts of the State had sought the provision the convention committee has now approved. Through all these years the slush funds of the utilities, the insidious methods of their lobbies, were used without shame to maintain the legislation which shackled these small cities—those of 75,000 and less—with the requirement of a two-thirds majority vote for establishment of municipally owned public utility services.

There is hope for the future of this State in the righteous wrath with which Gov. Park smote the lobby. It is well that the people should know, from his recital, how far the agents of the utility corporations went in use of bribery and blackmail in their efforts to defeat the progressive legislation proposed by Gov. Park in 1933. In the lowest form of blackmail, an effort to smear the character of the former Governor on a trumped-up morals charge, the slimy agents of the corporations were revealed in their true nature.

The courage of Gov. Park is admirable. In the interest of public welfare, he has thrown aside personal reticence to assail an evil which for too long a time had debauched and corrupted the State. With such leadership, the people surely will finish the knockout by incorporating in the new Constitution the healthy measure he championed so well.

Report by a Hostile Committee

The special House committee's report on the National War Labor Board is made up almost 100 per cent of adverse criticism. This is not surprising, considering that the committee chairman, Representative Smith of Virginia, and one of its members, Representative Hoffman of Michigan, have the reputation of being the two leading enemies of labor now in Congress, and that three other members—Peterson of Georgia, Hartley of New Jersey, and Jennings of Tennessee—have a record of anti-labor voting. Only two members of the committee—Representatives Voorhis of California and Delaney of New York—have taken a tolerant attitude on labor problems. It is not surprising, either, to find these two signing a dissenting report.

It is consistent with the political philosophy of the committee majority to assail the WLB for virtually every step it has taken to settle the delicate problems of labor relations and to keep wartime production rolling. The WLB has made its mistakes, but it has, by and large, served the country well. Labor, too, has made grevious mistakes, particularly in the many occasions when the no-strike pledge has been violated. Though both WLB and labor are open to criticism, no such blanket condemnation as the committee has issued is in order.

As to the maintenance-of-union-membership clauses in labor contracts approved by the WLB, on which the committee pours its hottest fire: this is a device on which the board is standing its ground, despite the many charges of illegality made by Representative Smith for months past. The board majority feels that its stand is supported by the President's war powers. In the absence of a court ruling to the contrary, it has continued to approve such clauses.

This device is the result of a carefully worked out compromise by the WLB, and has been supported by such votes as 10 to 2 and 8 to 1 among its members, including on occasion members representing industry. In view of the successful working of the plan to date, the WLB cannot be expected to abandon it because of a hostile committee's report.

The Mayor's Pleasant Idea

St. Louis has a nation-wide name for hospitality to visiting service men, and Mayor Kaufmann has just taken a step that will enhance that reputation. Looking around the Memorial Plaza, he observed many soldiers and sailors strolling about, standing on corners or perched on ledges and balustrades. Something was missing from that picture, and the Mayor has ordered that it be supplied—70 park benches for the benefit of the city's military and naval guests.

So, as soon as the Park Department shops can turn them out, footweary men on furlough will find convenient places wherein to rest, to chat and to survey the downtown skyline. And the word will go around the camps and ships and barracks with more emphasis than before: "St. Louis knows how to treat the service men." A nice investment in courtesy, Mr. Mayor.

Evidence From the Katyn Graves

By the ghastly evidence of the opened graves in the Katyn Forest, near Smolensk, the Nazis are proved guilty not only of a horrifying crime on a wholesale scale, but also of a plot to create discord among the United Nations.

The eye-witness testimony of Allied newspaper correspondents tends to confirm the statement of Soviet officials: that the 11,000 Poles buried in great pits in the forest were slaughtered after the capture of Smolensk by the Germans, and not before. Therefore, the mass executions were perpetrated by the Germans, not by the Russians, as Nazi propagandists charged, and as members of the Polish Government-in-Exile were induced to believe.

Acceptance of this charge by the Poles last April represented a great triumph for the Nazis, since it brought about severance of relations by Moscow. To this day, Moscow has refused to deal with the exile group because of its majority's stand on the Katyn murders, and settlement of the controversy over Poland's postwar Eastern boundary has been blocked as a result.

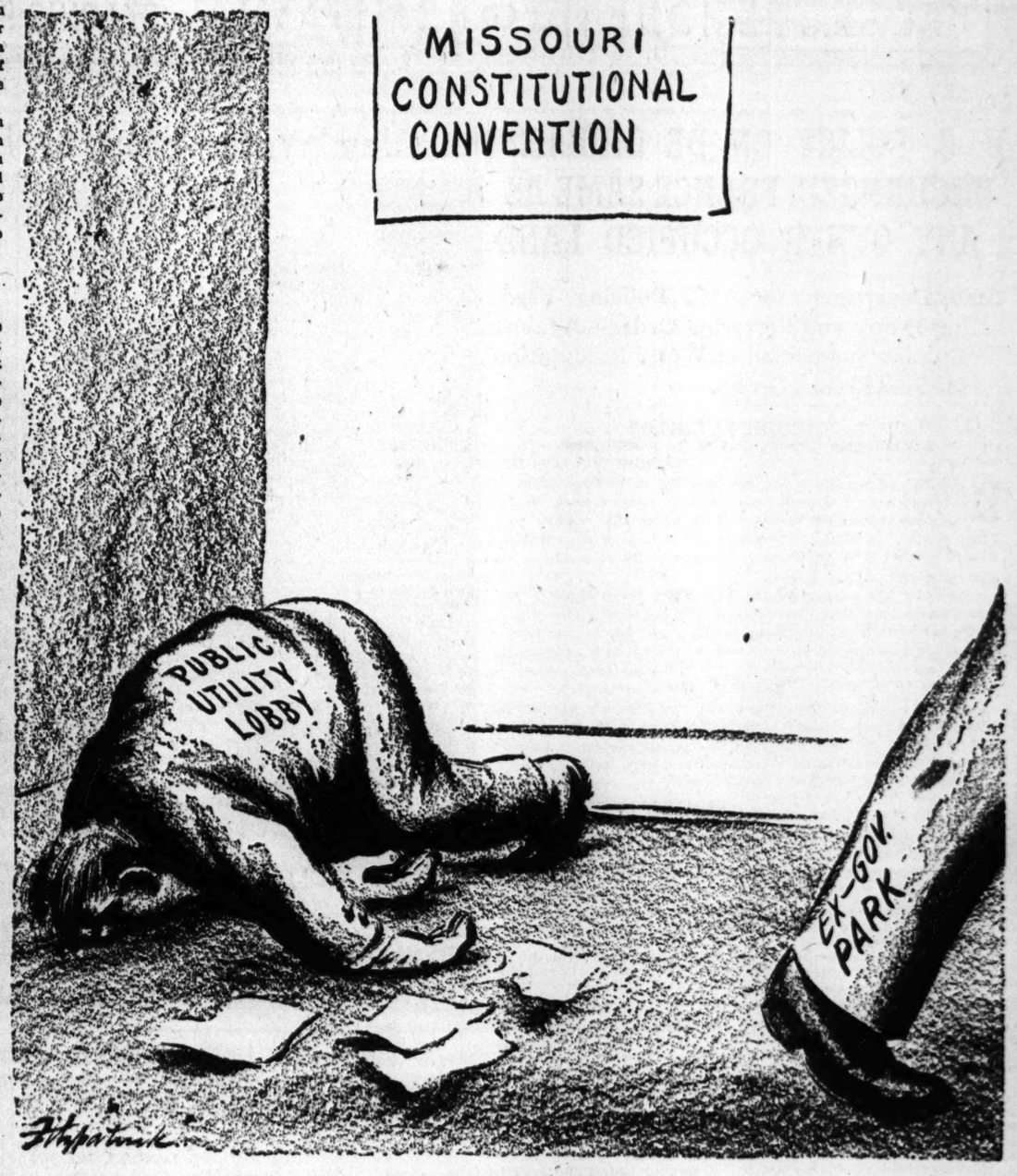
This group of Poles preferred to accept the version of the Katyn murders put out by their country's ravagers, the Nazis, rather than the statement of their allies, the Russians. It is easy to see that Moscow considered this stand a galling affront that justified a break in relations.

Now that the guilt has been pinned on the Nazis by examination of the bodies, it is up to the Poles to make the next move. Certainly the discrediting of those who swallowed the Nazi lie would justify their expulsion from the Government by the Poles themselves. If this is done, orderly negotiation on the Eastern boundary question will undoubtedly become possible.

For Non-political Conservation

One of the encouraging actions in the Constitutional Convention is the rejection by the Committee on Bill of Rights of a proposal which would have endangered the State Conservation Commission. This proposal would have given the Legislature power to nullify any of the rules and regulations, and policies, of the commission.

The voters have spoken emphatically in the establishment and maintenance of the Conservation Commission as a non-political agency to preserve and develop the game and wild life resources of the State. The convention will be wise to let it stand as the people wish it to be, an independent agency free of partisan political influences.



GAVE 'IM THE WORKS

MISSOURI CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

Background of Bolivian Revolution

The Mirror of Public Opinion

Exploited people of Bolivia have always had "government of the few for the few," writer says; our State Department policy discouraged relief for tin miners, and failed on moral, political and economic grounds; we cannot afford an anti-democratic influence.

Katherine Rodell, Author and Researcher, in the Progressive

Of all bedeviled, exploited countries in the world, Bolivia is one of the unhappiest. It is incredibly rich in natural resources. The Spaniards took two billion dollars in gold out of its mountains; it is the most important source of tin remaining to the United Nations; its lowlands are afloat with oil. It has produced one of the world's richest men while three-fourths of its people are worse off than they were at the time of the Spanish conquest.

The great majority of its people are Andean Indians, descendants of the Incas, doped, diseased, despairing, so far outside the framework of a modern economy that many of them do not see any money from one year's end to the next, so far outside the framework of the state that they do not even speak its language, much less read or write or vote.

The small ruling class consists of those of white and mixed blood, divided into many warring factions, each of which wants to seize and hold power in order to benefit itself, its friends and its backers. Bolivia has always had a government of the few for the few.

Dominating the whole country, even more than do the incredible peaks of the Andes, is one man and one industry. The industry, of course, is tin mining, which accounts for about 70 per cent of Bolivia's exports; so important is it that to the outside world Bolivia is tin.

Patino Controls the Cartel

The man is Simon Patino, a half-Indian whose fortune today is estimated at between half a billion and a billion dollars, whose income far exceeds the entire governmental revenue of Bolivia. So important are Patino's holdings (his control of over half of the Bolivian production is only a fraction of his total) that he is the dominant figure in the international tin cartel.

The United States has found that it is hard to be a good neighbor to a cartel. Controlling as it does the amount of production, the price, the refining of tin, the cartel has been able to tell even its biggest customer, the United States, just what and where and how to buy.

In spite of our failure to crack the tin cartel, the State Department has been very careful to play along with the Patino interests in Bolivia. Last December, when the Bolivian Congress was considering a labor law which would have given the miners such minimal rights as regular payment of wages and collective bargaining, the American Ambassador, Pierre Boal, was bringing pressure to bear on the Bolivian President to prevent passage of the code.

The Tin Miners Suffer

The plight of the miners is really desperate. Living costs in Bolivia are up some 1400 per cent since before the war, and although the United States has raised the price of tin to a record high, real wages have gone down. Liberal opinion in Bolivia has been increasingly aroused, while the actions of Boal and the State Department have convinced many Bolivians that the United States stands squarely on the side of the moneyed interests.

The State Department justifies its actions on the ground that the important thing is the production of tin for the war. Yet not only is the tin cartel still firmly in control, but Bolivian production has slumped badly, due primarily to intolerable working conditions and a growing spirit of passive resistance on the part of the workers.

On the moral, or propaganda, front, our failure in Bolivia is even more apparent. As in other Latin American countries, there is a history of United States economic imperialism which all the Good Neighborly words in the world will not wipe out.

It is against this background, then, that we must look at the coup d'etat which overthrew Penaranda in December, 1943, and against this background the stoning of the United States Embassy during the excitement does not appear as necessarily Nazi-inspired. There is no doubt that there is a good deal of Nazi sympathy in Bolivia—Penaranda, our supposedly great and good friend, did put Bolivia into the war, but he never got around to nationalizing the powerful Axis firms in Bolivia.

Axis Gets the Quinine

In spite of our desperate need for quinine, we were not able to buy any from Bolivia while Penaranda was President; it was all sold to Argentina—for re-sale to the Axis. Patino, who admires Hitler and did admire Mussolini and who was a financial backer of Franco, has never showed any particular friendliness toward the United States.

There is also in Bolivia, as in many other Latin American countries, a strong and growing spirit of nationalism. There are increasing numbers of Bolivians today who want their country run, not for the benefit of the United States or the Nazis or the mine-owners, but for the Bolivian people—all of them. Such a group might feel that since the United States and the mine-owners appear to have ganged up, they are justified in accepting Nazi help to attain their ends.

Faced with this complex and dangerous situation, our State Department has been more than usually baffled.

Our Policy Is Held Unwise

It is worth noting that the new Bolivian Government immediately offered to sell us its entire quinine production—at our price, and that it also announced its intention to proceed at once with the nationalization of Axis firms. But it also announced that the new Government would not continue to be a broker for the mine owners, and perhaps that is what alarms our diplomats.

But surely a democratic country fighting a global war for a democratic world can only find support among the peoples of other countries. The admission of this truth would mean an overhauling of our whole Bolivian policy—and of our whole Latin American policy as well. And not a minute too soon.

For when the day comes that we are faced with genuine people's governments throughout Latin America, we may wish and wish too late that we had been better neighbors to the Latin American people before they came to power.

AN URGENT NEED

From the St. Joseph (Mo.) Gazette.

What this country needs is a good 5-cent cigar which doesn't sell for more than a dime.

Charming Book About Veblen As a Boy Knew Him Long Ago

"The Innocents at Cedro," by R. L. Duffus. (Macmillan Co., New York.)

Thirty years ago, somebody said that no one was ever quite the same again after reading Thorstein Veblen. Many have since repeated the statement. There is something to it. No doubt Veblen has influenced modern economic thought more considerably than any other man.

One thing reading a book of Veblen's does to you is to give you no rest until you have read all his other books, which, perhaps fortunately, are few. You also want to read every book that is published about Veblen's thought or about Veblen, the man.

Robert Duffus of the New York Times editorial staff has written the newest book about the thought and the man. The "Innocents" of his title are three boys, one of them the writer, working their way through Stanford, who lived with the great Veblen for one year at his home, "Cedro Cottage," not far from the university. This was in 1907-08, a long time ago, when the world was very different. Though it was a serene and peaceful time, that didn't keep Veblen from foreseeing what we're into now. At that time he saw ahead more clearly than any other man, it appears.

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The book is tender and charming. It has the warmth of California sunshine, and the charm of youth. It is about youth much more than it is about the mysteriously wise and mature Veblen. The boys served Veblen, cared for his horses, milked his cows, fed his cats and chickens, prepared his food and helped him eat it. They drank in his words, whenever it pleased him to talk with them. No money passed between Veblen and the boys. They got shelter and food and Veblen got the kind of service he liked. Veblen's dominance of his odd household was complete, but his implements of authority were tolerance, humor and good will.

While the book is mainly about the boys and their awakening youth, Veblen the man and the thinker dominates it, just as he dominated their lives in that idyllic year. It was a gentle, almost casual dominance, both in the book and as it appeared to be, over the boys' youthful thinking. Veblen just appears off and on in the book until toward the end, when Duffus meets him in later years. But he is always there, and you know it.

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The writer is a skilled craftsman. He has what Veblen called the "instinct of workmanship." He merely chooses to bring in Veblen only now and then. It is a sincere way to do, because even so powerful a personality couldn't overshadow all the waking hours of any three normally active boys. The technique, however, is sufficiently effective, and one has no doubt that the author has done what he aimed to do. I mean the book is really about Veblen, after all.

Of course, everybody who knows Veblen will want to read the "Innocents," and everybody who doesn't will enjoy a perfectly delightful introduction to the great thinker who died midway between two world wars, but who seemed to understand them both better than any man living today.

Charleston, Mo. THAD SNOW.

A Blast at the Administration

If any anti-New Dealers are running low on ammunition, they will find plenty of it in "Mourning Becomes Columbia" (Columbia Publishing Co., Tulsa), by Rembert Gilman Smith. The writer is particularly disturbed by the Roosevelt appointments to the Supreme Court, by the alleged ravages of Communism and by Mrs. Roosevelt's contribution of $25 to the American Civil Liberties Union at the time of the Oklahoma criminal syndicalism cases.

TODAY and TOMORROW

By Walter Lippmann

DECISIONS THAT CANNOT BE POSTPONED

WITH the Western Allies at the gates of Rome, with the Russian armies already beyond the prewar Polish boundary, and with the invasion of France being prepared, we find ourselves in urgent need of an Italian, a Polish and a French government which we can deal with and can count upon. Whether we like to call them "governments" or "provisional governments" or "national authorities" is a matter of the form rather than of the substance.

What we need is a governing power which can rally the resistance behind the German lines, can maintain order behind our armies, can participate in the enforcement of the armistice that is to be imposed on Germany, and can manage the transition from war to peace.

Moreover, until these governments are constituted and recognized, we are merely beating our breasts when we ask for a United Nations organization to deal collectively with the unsettled problems of Europe. For without governments to speak for them and to commit them, all the nations cannot act together because so many of them cannot act at all.

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France and Italy.

NOW at the present time the Americans and the British have not recognized a French government. Yet the French national committee is actually governing the second largest colonial empire in the world, and without any remaining doubt whatever commands the allegiance of those Frenchmen who will risk their lives to help us when we land in France. On the other hand, we have recognized an Italian government—that of King Victor Emmanuel and Marshal Badoglio—which under our protection governs feebly one or two backward provinces but has failed to rally the organized Italian resistance against Fascism and against Germany. And in Eastern Europe we have under our diplomatic protection a Polish government which, as it is now constituted, the Russians will not recognize.

Thus in the West, as things stand now, we propose to reach Germany by crossing a France which has no government that we recognize, and the Russians to reach Germany by crossing a Poland which has no government that they recognize. It is evident that our stock formula about letting each people choose freely its own government when the war is over is quite insufficient. It is just a formula for not having to think. Governments are necessary now in order to conduct the war, and to make the initial and basic settlement with Germany, and to maintain order and distribute relief, and to print the ballots, set up the polling booths, and fix the qualifications of the voters who can then, and then only, freely choose the post-armistice governments.

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General Problem.

CLEARLY there is here a general problem—since in different forms the three great powers face it not only in regard to France, Poland and Italy but also in regard to Yugoslavia and Greece and later they will face it in regard to Rumania, Hungary, Bulgaria and perhaps Finland. It is the problem which has to be solved before any other great problems of the settlement can be solved. It is an exceedingly difficult problem which calls for the utmost objectivity of mind.

What, then, should be the standards of judgment by which we decide the recognition of governments? In general the answer must surely be: by whether they can be expected to do the most necessary things which have to be done. In other words, by whether they give good evidence for believing that they can deliver the goods. What goods? The capacity to organize the utmost resistance to the enemy, the capacity to unite their people so that there shall not be civil war, the capacity to liquidate quickly and in orderly and thorough fashion the Quisling elements in their territory, the capacity to organize the machinery for consulting their people and obtaining their consent, the capacity to make commitments now which their nations will honor about those initial settlements with Germany which must be decided before the war ends.

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By these standards the present Italian Government is quite unsatisfactory, and therefore, not later than our entry into Rome the Italian Government will have to be reconstituted. The manner in which this is to be done will have to be decided before the King and Marshal Badoglio are allowed to set foot in the capital. For their government does not rally the Italian nation. It cannot, therefore, maintain order except by the use of our bayonets, and it cannot commit the Italian nation to any European settlement.

By these same standards, the French committee is entitled, whatever the juridical formula, to recognition. For it governs the empire, it has armed forces fighting loyally and well, it represents the organized resistance within France, it has, or is about to have, a plan and procedure to enable the French nation to elect a permanent government. If we recognize it, it can make the necessary commitments on the character and the enforcement of the German armistice.

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Polish Situation.

THE Polish Government is unhappily not at present in this position, and only by reaching an agreement with Russia can Poland be re-established. The inexorable fact is that Poland can be liberated from the German occupation only by the Red Army, and only by the subsequent withdrawal of the Red Army can Polish independence be restored.

Now it would be theoretically possible for us to say to Soviet Russia that, unless it recognizes this Polish government, as now constituted, and unless it agrees to re-establish the 1939 eastern frontier, we shall tear up the Moscow agreements, stop lend-lease to Russia and give her no postwar economic assistance. But with a grim war in the Pacific as well as in Europe still ahead of us, we should be cutting off our own nose to spite our face if we took any such absurdly romantic doctrinaire line. And we should seal the doom of Poland. For we should have made Poland, now in the grip of the German Army, the irreconcilable enemy of Russia as well.

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There is no way out of the impasse of Russian-Polish relations except by recognizing frankly that an independent Poland can be restored only if it is allied with Russia. The proof is in this unalterable circumstance: Poland can live without the territory east of the Curzon line; Poland cannot live without access to the sea. There is only one way that Poland can obtain access to the sea. That is by annexing what the Germans consider German territory. If Poland annexes such territory, then Poland must be able to defend it. Poland alone cannot defend its western borders against Germany.

Great Britain and the United States cannot defend the western borders of Poland. Only Russia can defend them. Therefore Poland must come to terms with Russia, to terms which make Russia the principal guarantor of the Polish-German boundary. If Russia is not the guarantor of the western boundary, if, indeed, Russia has a mortal grievance over her own boundary as well, then there is no chance whatever that Poland can maintain herself against both Germany and Russia.

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The Way Things Are.

THIS is the way things are and there is no use pretending that we can make them different by talking big and making threats at the Russians. They have power and the primary responsibility in that part of the world as we have in regard to whether we will deal with the present Bolivian government. We can quarrel with Russia if we choose. But that will not help Poland. For if Poland cannot reach an agreement and an alliance with Russia, we can never afford to involve ourselves in the extreme danger of letting Poland annex German territory that she would be unable to defend.

It is, therefore, the vital interest of Poland, and of the whole cause, that a way be found by which the Polish government becomes capable of settling with Russia.

One more point should be noted; it is a good thing, not a bad one, that these questions should confront us now rather than after hostilities cease. They are the basic questions of a settlement, and to leave them open until the war ends would be to make them insoluble. Vexatious as they are today, they would be infinitely worse if we took the risk of letting them be settled by civil war, insurrections, and coups d'etat as we did, to our infinite cost, in the last war.

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TWO FROM THIS AREA MISSING IN ACTION

4 Marines Reported Wounded at Tarawa—One Returns to Active Duty.

Pvt. Everett H. Glenn has been reported missing in action in Italy since Jan. 3, his brother, Rev. Emmett L. Glenn, pastor of Mount Calvary Tabernacle, 2421 South Tenth street, has been informed. Pvt. Glenn's mother, Mrs. Leona Glenn, lives in Belle, Mo.

Sgt. Cyril Lebert, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lebert of Lebanon, Ill., has been reported missing since Jan. 9, when the Flying Fortress in which he was a radio operator participated in a raid over Germany.

Marine Pvt. John P. Kokotovich, 20 years old, was wounded at Tarawa, his mother, Mrs. Barbara Kokotovich, 2151 St. Louis avenue, East St. Louis, has been notified. He is now convalescing at a Marine hospital and has been awarded the Purple Heart. His brother, Nicholas Kokotovich, was killed in action at Guadalcanal on Aug. 13, 1942.

Marine Pvt. Carol E. Osborn also was wounded at Tarawa, the Navy Department informed his wife, Mrs. Carol E. Osborn, 4015 Shaw boulevard. From a naval hospital where he is recuperating, Osborn wrote his wife that he had been wounded in the face by a mortar shell and that his hearing in one ear was impaired. He has been awarded the Purple Heart.

Marine Pvt. Harry Moldafsky, 19, has returned to active duty after suffering an injury in the battle of Tarawa, he informed his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Moldafsky, 821 Westgate avenue, University City, by letter.

Marine Pvt. Swain D. Miller, ward of Mrs. Elizabeth Snyder, 321 Henquin drive, Ferguson, was also wounded at Tarawa.

Pvt. Karl H. Royker, 18, 5553 Waterman boulevard, has been wounded in the Mediterranean area, his father, Karl C. Royker, has been informed.

Seaman David H. Collins Jr., reported missing in action in the South Pacific, now has been listed as dead by the Navy Department. He is the son of David H. Collins, 2408 Gothland avenue, Overland.

Previously announced as killed in a plane crash in England was Tech. Sgt. Frank McNamara, McNamara, gunner on a Flying Fortress, was a grandson of Mrs. Alice Nichols of 6330 Clayton avenue.

DR. JOSEPH M. TRIGG DIES; PRACTICED HERE 50 YEARS

Dr. Joseph M. Trigg, a physician in St. Louis for 50 years, died early today at Missouri Baptist Hospital of a complication of abdominal ailments.

Dr. Trigg was 73 years old. He lived at 4903 Northland avenue and maintained offices in the Metropolitan building, 508 North Grand boulevard. He was a member of the American Medical Association and the St. Louis Medical Society.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Emma Mae, and three sons, Milton D., Joseph F. and J. Richard Trigg. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Drehmann-Harral undertaking establishment at 1965 Union boulevard, with burial at Simpson, Ill., where Dr. Trigg was born.

GRACE M. THORNHILL FUNERAL

Funeral services for Grace M. Thornhill, a school teacher, 58 years old, who died yesterday of a heart ailment at the Missouri Pacific Hospital, will be held at 3 p. m. Friday at the William J. Robert undertaking establishment, 1905 South Grand boulevard, with burial in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

Miss Thornhill had been a teacher at Shepard School, 3450 Wisconsin avenue, since 1906. She is survived by a brother, Benjamin R. Thornhill, and a sister, Mrs. Ruth M. Foster.

LT. COL. JABLONSKY MADE AID

Lt. Col. Harvey J. Jablonsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur T. Jablonsky, 700 North Price road, Olivette, has been appointed assistant commandant on the staff of Brig. Gen. Ridgely Gaither, commandant of the Army Parachute School at Fort Benning, Ga.

Col. Jablonsky qualified as a parachutist last July and since December has been in charge of parachute specialist training.

Rev. W.G. Vahle Dies in Nebraska

Rev. William G. Vahle, a former St. Louisan, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, Atkinson, Neb., died yesterday of a heart attack at his home in Atkinson. Funeral services and burial will be in Atkinson. The Rev. Mr. Vahle, 59 years old, was a graduate of Concordia Seminary, Springfield, Ill. Surviving are his wife and daughter, four sisters and a brother, Harry Vahle.

Casualties



MILLER McNAMARA



GLENN COLLINS

TAXPAYERS TURNED AWAY IF LACKING NECESSARY DATA

Those Seeking Assistance Must Bring Wage Record, 1942 Revenue Receipt.

Deputies were stationed today outside the income tax office in the Federal Building basement to turn away taxpayers seeking assistance in making out returns who do not have with them information necessary for preparation of their tax forms.

Acting Collector Thomas P. Stanton said scores of persons, after waiting in line considerable time, reach deputies' desks only to find they are lacking certain information without which assistance cannot be rendered. This has caused loss of time not only to those persons, but also to revenue employes and taxpayers who come prepared, he added.

Stanton said taxpayers seeking assistance in his office should bring with them these papers: Form W-2 furnished by employers showing wages received and tax withheld during 1943; form 1125 furnished by Collector's office showing tax reported and amount paid for 1942; copy of form 1040ES (Declaration of Estimated Tax) if taxapyer filed one in September or December, 1943, or worksheet used in preparing declaration. All members of the armed forces and other taxpayers who do not have form 1125 should bring a copy of their 1942 income tax return and a record of tax paid on it; and an accurate record of all other income besides wages received in 1943.

Bill Robinson, 66, Reweds.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 27 (AP).—Bill (Bojangles) Robinson, 66-year-old Negro dancer, tapped the time away at the foot of a stairway today until his 23-year-old bride descended, led her into the parlor of a private home where they were married—and he slipped the ring on the wrong hand. His bride was Elaine Plaines of Brooklyn, a dancer known as Sue Dash.

ST. LOUIS U. INQUIRES ON ACCEPTING NEGROES

'Advisability and Necessity' of Move Broached in Letters to School's Friends.

Letters of inquiry, as to the "advisability and necessity" of accepting Negro students in St. Louis University, were sent this week to a number of friends of the institution by the Rev. Patrick J. Holloran, S. J., president.

Recipients of the letter are asked to return, with "Yes" or "No" notations, a slip of paper bearing two questions:

(1) Would you look favorably on St. Louis University accepting Negro students? (2) Would you be less inclined to send a son or daughter to St. Louis University if Negro students were admitted?

"Of late," President Holloran wrote, "not a few individuals have been representing to me in various ways the advisability and necessity of our accepting Negro students. The weight of the appeal has stressed the position of the Negro in the Catholic Church, and the serious challenge of discrimination by a Catholic university against colored Catholics who find it impossible to obtain a Catholic education.

"This much should be said—there will never be any lowering of academic standards in the admission of colored students; they will satisfy all requirements or will not be considered."

Father Holloran also expressed the opinion that the number of Negro students was not likely to be large—"I do not think it will reach 20 in the next 20 years," he wrote.

He explained further that the University wished to be guided by the opinion of representative Catholic groups, including alumni. Some of the recipients were members of the Manresa Club, a Catholic organization for Negro welfare. Some members of the Catholic Club, the Serra Club, Friends of the Library and members of the Board of Medical Social Service also were addressed.

Father Holloran declined today to comment on the situation outlined in his letter. A similar question, with legal aspects, now confronts the authorities of the University of Missouri at Columbia through the application of a Negro student for admission to the School of Journalism.

ONE OF VANDERBILTS DIES

HAVANA, Jan. 27 (AP).—Mrs. Cathleen Vanderbilt Arostegui, member of the American Vanderbilt family, died at a hospital yesterday after a long illness.

A daughter of the late Reginald C. Vanderbilt, she was married Oct. 9, 1940, to Martin Arostegui, publisher of a Havana newspaper. She gave her age at that time as 36. She had been divorced from Harry C. Cushing III and from Lawrence Lowman.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

MR. AND MRS. LOUIS MacARTHUR STEWART, 10 Algonquin lane, Webster Groves, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Miss Louise Blair Stewart, and Ens. R. Wells Brown of the Naval Reserve. Ens. Brown, a survivor of the sinking of the destroyer Brownson by the Japanese off Cape Gloucester, New Britain, last Dec. 27, has been in San Francisco, Cal., awaiting orders. Now on 30-day leave, he arrived here yesterday. Tomorrow he will be joined by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Brown of Auburndale, Mass. The bride's grandfather, Cyrus S. Coup, will be here in a few days from Toledo, O.

The engagement was announced informally last September. The wedding will take place next Wednesday night. The Rev. Dr. Harry T. Scherer will perform the ceremony at 8:30 o'clock in Elizabeth Holloway Woods Memorial Chapel of Webster Groves Presbyterian Church, of which he is pastor. The reception afterward will be given at the Stewart home.

Miss Peggy Stewart, one of the bride's two attendants, will be her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaid will be Miss Mary Jane Crump, also of Webster Groves.

A 1941 graduate of Pine Manor Junior College, Wellesley, Mass., the bride-elect studied for a year at Katharine Gibbs Secretarial School and for the past year and a half has lived in New York. She returned home in December.

Ens. Brown trained with the Naval R. O. T. C., at Yale, and was commissioned at his graduation last May. He completed a short training course at Miami Beach, Fla., before being sent on active sea duty.

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Capt. John I. Beggs McCulloch, son of Mrs. Richard McCulloch, 4394 Westminster place, who is in the Middle East on a special assignment for the Office of Strategic Services, has been promoted from the rank of First Lieutenant. His wife and their four children, who make their home in Washington, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. F. W. Jones of Milwaukee, are spending the winter at Sea Ranch, near Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Mrs. Jones went to Washington before Christmas to be with her daughter.

Mrs. Richard McCulloch's daughter, Mrs. Whipple Van Ness Jones of the St. Louis Country Club grounds, will leave tomorrow for Sioux Falls, S. D., to spend two weeks with Capt. Jones, who is stationed there with the Technical Training Command of the Army Air Forces.

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Mrs. Edgar E. Rand, 50 Overhills drive, will return Saturday from Nashville, Tenn., where for the past 10 days, she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Washington Moore.

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Mrs. Nathaniel W. Ewing, 23, Lenox place, has as her guest Mrs. Gratz M. Scott of New York, a former St. Louisan. After a few days at Mrs. Ewing's house, Mrs. Scott will visit her sister, Mrs. George Walker, who lives in McCauley Hall, Newstead and Maryland avenues.



—Jules Pierlow Photo.

MISS IRENE RANDOLPH Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel B. Randolph of St. Louis Country Club grounds, who will depart for the East next week to visit Mrs. L. Rumsey Ewing and Miss Maude Scudder Overall at their New York apartment.

Ens. and Mrs. John William Galbraith will arrive next Wednesday from Pensacola, Fla., to visit her mother, Mrs. George P. Whitelaw II, and Mr. Whitelaw, 5291 Westminster place. Ens. Galbraith will be on a 15-day leave from the Pensacola Naval Air Station. At the end of a five-day stay, the visitors will go to Miller Park, Franklin, Pa., to visit his mother, Mrs. Charles R. Galbraith.

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Visiting Parents.

PVT. ROBERT W. HORAN of the Signal Corps, who has been attached to the Army Air Forces at Tampa, Fla., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Laurance J. Horan, 6926 Pershing avenue. At the end of his furlough he will report to Jefferson Barracks for his new assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. Horan's elder son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Joseph Horan, 2002 Urban drive, Brentwood, are the parents of a daughter, their second child, born Jan. 16. The baby has been named Eugenie Marie, for her two grandmothers. Mrs. John Horan is the former Miss Susan Buder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar E. Buder, 8 Carrswold.

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Mrs. Ziegler Bernheimer of the Versailles apartments, has returned from New York. She was joined at the Gotham Hotel last week end by her son, Lt. (jg) Louis Bernheimer, who is training at Fort Schuyler, N. Y.

INVITATIONS have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Harry Charles Henger, 3459 Halliday avenue, for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Marjorie Waldeck Henger, and First Lt. George Lee Crutcher, an infantry officer, of Louisville, Ky. The ceremony will take place at First Unitarian Church, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 16, at 5:30 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Henger will give a reception at the St. Louis Woman's Club afterward.

Two parties, in addition to those previously announced, have been arranged for the bride-elect. Mrs. Harry C. Avis, 4525 Lindell boulevard, will entertain a group of Miss Henger's friends at the Monday afternoon tea at the St. Louis Woman's Club Feb. 7. Mrs. Francis D. Seward, 5257 Westminster place, will be hostess at a luncheon Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 9.

Lt. Crutcher has asked four officers serving with him in the Army Specialized Training Program at Washington University to serve as ushers. They are Lt. John R. Weddle, Lt. Carl H. Mote, Lt. Addison Reed and Lt. Leopold Strauss.

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Lt. Walter Williams Ross, commissioned a naval aviator at his graduation Saturday at the Naval Air Station, New Orleans, La., arrived in St. Louis Sunday night, accompanied by Mrs. Ross, who had been in New Orleans since the holidays. They are at the home of her father, Frank Y. Gladney, 5057 Westminster place. Lt. Ross has been assigned to the Naval Air Station at Lambert Field as an instructor. Before assuming his new duties he plans to go to Washington, D. C., for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Ross.

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Lt. and Mrs. Peter Henry Berry Otway Smithers will arrive tomorrow from Washington, D. C., for a brief stay in St. Louis with Mrs. Smithers' mother, Mrs. Thomas M. Sayman, 5399 Lindell boulevard. They will be en route to their home in Mexico City, where Lt. Smithers, of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, is naval attache at the British Legations in Mexico and Central America.

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A recent visitor in St. Louis was Mrs. William L. Canine of Kalamazoo, Mich., who was a guest at the Park Plaza. She spent about a week here visiting with her daughter, Miss Barbara Canine, a student nurse at Barnes Hospital, and with her aunt, Mrs. Rufus Lackland Taylor, of the Park Plaza.

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LEGAL CLARIFICATION SOUGHT ON SECOND CLASS MAILING ACT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—The Justice Department disclosed today that it will seek a clear-cut judicial interpretation of the second-class mail act.

As counsel for Postmaster General Frank C. Walker in the Esquire case, the department plans to file soon in United States District Court here a petition urging a "once and for all" interpretation of the statute, upon which various interpretations have been placed since its enactment almost 65 years ago.

Walker revoked Esquire's second-class mailing privileges, effective Feb. 28, and the magazine has asked for an injunction. Walker said the magazine was not devoted to the dissemination of the news, science or the arts and therefore not eligible for second-class privileges.

Heads Red Cross Fund Division.

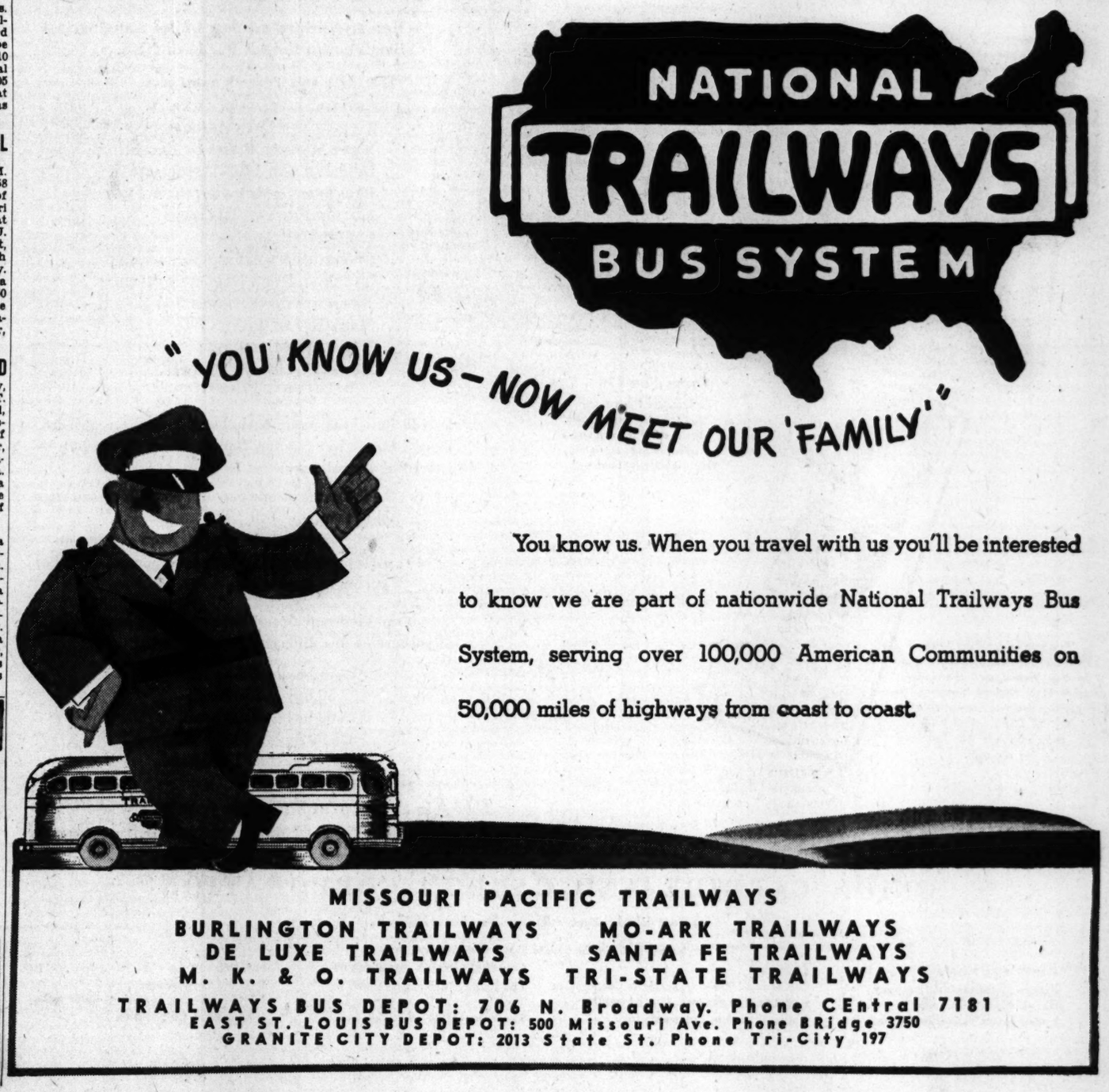
Forrest Murphy, president of the Herz-Oakes Candy Co., will serve as chairman of the downtown division of the 1944 Red Cross War Fund Campaign to raise $2,800,000 locally, J. Russel Coulter, campaign chairman, announced today. The drive will start March 1. J. Rush James, president of the South Side Chevrolet Co., and Edward L. Kuhs, president of realty company bearing his name, will head the south and north side divisions.

FUNERAL OF E. N. SANDERS FLORIST, AT 2 P. M. SATURDAY

Funeral services for Edgar Norman Sanders, florist, who died last night of heart disease, will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at the Lupton funeral establishment, 7333 Delmar boulevard.

Mr. Sanders was stricken while working in his greenhouses at 1249 Hanley road, University City. A grandson of the founder of the original Sanders firm which went back to Civil War days, Mr. Sanders was associated in the present business with two brothers, Oliver K. and Frank B. Sanders. Also surviving are his wife, Mrs. Helen Sanders with whom he made his home at 2312 Baldwin avenue, Vinita Park, another brother, Walter and two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Bell and Mrs. Clinton Pickett, both of Itaska, Ill.





MUSTER-OUT PAY BILL SENT TO ROOSEVELT

House, Senate Conferees Approve Legislation for Three-Billion Fund.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Congress voted a three-billion-dollar pot of gold yesterday for veterans of this war, to be paid out in amounts ranging from $100 to $300 each after honorable discharge.

House and Senate quickly approved the mustering-out pay legislation drawn up in a conference committee of both branches, the Senate acting last and sending the measure to the White House for the President's signature. Roosevelt had recommended that some financial arrangement be made to help each veteran return to civilian life. As enacted, the bill provides:

One hundred dollars to veterans with less than 60 days' service, all in the United States.

Two hundred dollars to those with more than 60 days in uniform, all domestically.

Three hundred dollars for those with service overseas or in Alaska.

All service men and women under the rank of captain are eligible except those past 38 who ask to be discharged to take a civilian job, those disnonorably discharged and students in the Army's education-training program.

The soldier bonus for approximately 3,500,000 who served in the First World War cost two billions.

JAP TRANSPORT CARRYING BRITISH PRISONERS SUNK

LONDON, Jan. 27 (AP).—The sinking of a Japanese transport carrying British prisoners of war from Java Nov. 29, 1943, was disclosed today in a War Office announcement that a list of victims had been received from the Japanese Government.

The brief statement, which did not give the number of casualties, said urgent inquiries were being made into the circumstances of the sinking.

PYLE TELLS HOW PROPELLER BLAST GOT ENEMY PLANE

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triotic, you could hear a combination boo and groan go through the audience. Soldiers at the front can't stomach flag-waving from back home.

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I've just had a letter from a couple of lieutenants in the Army postal service enclosing their plan for saving soldiers a lot of letter writing. Their plan is based on the theory that the soldier could write just one V-letter and have it mailed to eight or ten different people back home. That would be accomplished by writing extra addresses on a special pad; then in the laboratory the letter could be photographed over and over, slipping on a new address each time.

It's a novel idea, but I've inquired around among soldiers about it and I've yet to find one who wants to write the same thing to a lot of people.

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Imagination in Letters.

IMAGINATION still occasionally gets the best of some of our letter writers. I heard the other day of a soldier who wrote to his girl that he had been wounded, and then wrote his mother and tipped her off that he had just made it up.

And another one who doesn't fly at all wrote home that he had just shot down three Zeros. That's really good going, especially in Italy, and tops my own record The most I've been able to destroy in one day was two Spitfires and an Italian vegetable cart.

Geographical notes: Mount Vesuvius has a couple of streaks of red lava running down the side from the cone. They show up wonderfully at night and are fascinating. The volcano smokes continually.

The other night in Naples we had a couple of small earthquake shocks which shook our cots and scared us half to death.

Recreation Room for Negroes.

A recreation room for young Negro boys and girls will open tomorrow at the Phyllis Wheatley Branch of the Young Women's Christian Association, 2709 Locust street. The room will be equipped with a juke box, ping pong and other games. The fr will be open Friday evening 8 to 11 o'clock.

SMOLENSK RUINS SURPASSED ONLY BY STALINGRAD

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September, but the nearby yellow plaster house—the former residence of the governors of Smolensk, escaped the torch.

It now is serving as the temporary headquarters of the Smolensk Soviet. The residents said the Germans had several headquarters in the city but whether this building also housed Adolf Hitler, who made his headquarters here at one time, they did not know.

At the corner of Bolshaya Sovietskaya street, the main thoroughfare of Smolensk, and Lenin street, the Lenin Library stood in ruins. A local officer told me the Nazis had burned the building after destroying most of the books, although some were removed to the Reich.

Amid all the gaping walls Smolensk looked surprisingly neat. The first job tackled by the Russians after recapturing the city was cleaning it, and that has been done thoroughly.

Long Rebuilding Job.

The task of reconstruction, however, is more difficult since Red Army requirements come first. Water and electrical systems have been restored and a few factories are under repair, but the back-breaking job still lies ahead.

The immediate problem being faced is one of living space. People I met on the streets said they were quartered 15 in a room.

B. Y. Melnikov, chairman of the Smolensk City Soviet, confirmed the seriousness of this problem.

"The people are living under very difficult circumstances — in sheds, cellars and dugouts, very closely crowded," he said.

The local newspaper, Rabochi Put (Workers Path) published a report of the progress on the four-year reconstruction plan.

In the Stalin district of the city, the report said, 60,000 square yards of living quarters had been repaired since Smolensk was retaken and 1272 persons provided with shelter. Several stores, restaurants, one movie theater and one barber shop have been opened.

The report, delivered to a meeting of Communist party members of that district, criticised some aspects of the work with harshness, attacking particularly the organization of the construction work. It said some construction work was not of a satisfactory quality and that the living space for workers was insufficient.

The lack of household utensils, like pots, pans, plates and bowls, although there were raw materials and the means for manufacturing them in the vicinity, also was criticised.

Found Wounded, Man Dies.

Julius W. Warren, 64 years old, who was found in the kitchen of his home at 4931 Union boulevard with a bullet wound in the head on Jan. 17, died today at City Hospital. His daughter, Mrs. Hugh Carrico,, 5664 Arlington avenue, told police her father had been despondent since the death of his wife last December. A revolver was found near the body.

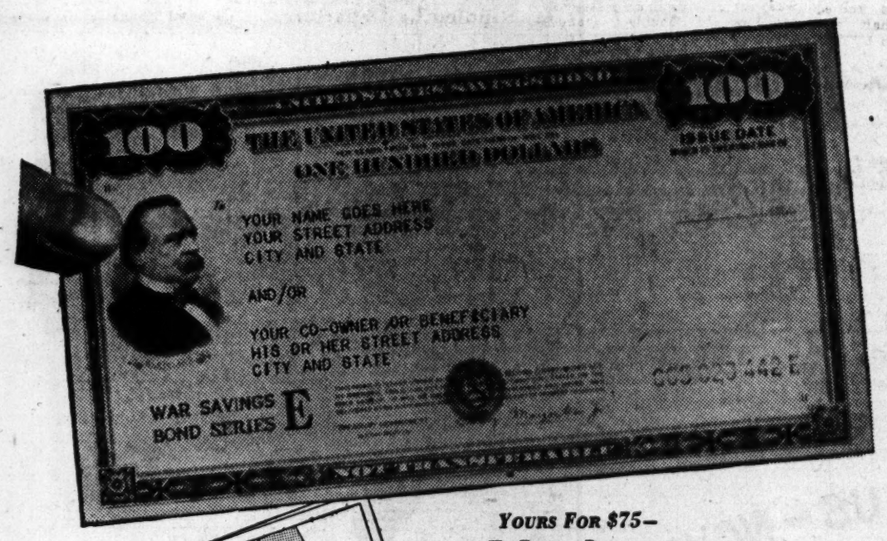
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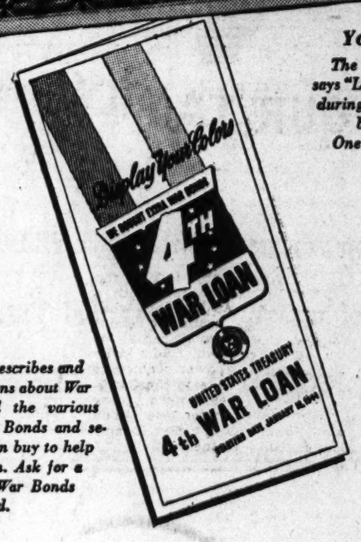
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BREADON TOO PESSIMISTIC, SOME BIG LEAGUERS SAY

Navy Five Set for 2 Big Games

Two basketball games which may prove to be the season's best in the St. Louis area are scheduled for tonight and tomorrow, but the public will not see either contest.

Tonight, at the Lambert Field Naval Training Station drill hall, the Wings will oppose the strong Meramec Caverns, St. Louis Municipal champions, and at Jefferson Barracks tomorrow night, when the undefeated JayBees oppose the Wings for first place in the Inter-Military Post League.

The consecutive games against such strong foes constitute a large order for Lt. Raymond F. Blake's Navy team, which has won 11 of its 12 contests so far, including decisions over Washington University and Concordia Seminary. The Meramecs, a team sponsored by the Meramec Caverns of Stanton, Mo., and playing under the direction of Harley James, have rolled up 20 victories in the 1943-44 season and have tasted defeat only three times.

On the high-scoring squad, which, by the way, also boasts plenty of physical altitude, are such stars as Clarence Hatfield, former Missouri University standout; Don Martin, six-foot, eight-inch center from Warrensburg State Teachers' College; Don Ashley, formerly of Springfield Teachers; Elmer Das, former Roosevelt High player, who once made 38 points in a game for the Meramecs; Fred Barker of Broughton, Ill., oldest player in point of service on the team; Dave Goldberg, a good defensive player developed at the Y. M. H. A.; Howard Bartman, another Muny veteran, and John Ell.

Miss Row Beats Miss Cline, 6-4

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 27 (AP).—Marjorie Row of Anniston, Ala., Michigan state champion, swept into the finals of the Helen Lee Doherty trophy golf tournament today with an impressive 6 and 5 victory over Jeanne Cline, Bloomington, Ill., amateur.

The other half of the semi-final round went to Mrs. George E. Wilcox Jr., of Miami by 6 and 4, over Mrs. Frank Fuller of Coral Gables.

Mrs. Wilcox will meet Miss Row tomorrow for the $2000 cup.

Miss Row, formerly of Detroit, gained an early lead and was 4 up at the turn. Miss Cline was a pre-tournament favorite.

Coast Guard Wins.

A last-half rally enabled the U. S. Coast Guard five to defeat McDonnell Aircraft, 61 to 38, last night. McDonnell led at the half, 21-18. Bob Meyer was high for the winners with 20 points while Fritts led the losers with 16 points.

Two Sports Events Boost the War Bond Sale by $2,788,500

Two sports events in the East last night boosted the sale of War Bonds in the Fourth War Loan drive a total of $2,788,500.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Basketball pitched in to do its part in the Fourth War Loan drive last night when 6000 fans put $1,676,750 in war bonds for the privilege of watching a benefit doubleheader at the Seventy-first Regiment Armory.

Harry Boykoff, former St. Johns ace, scored 21 points but his West Point post All-Stars lost to the strong district Coast Guards, 50-38, in the opener. Joe Lapchick's Brooklyn All-Stars topped the Nat Holman-coached New York Stars, 47-43, in the finale.

HERSHEY, Pa., Jan. 27 (AP).—Sport fans from 11 Pennsylvania counties purchased war bonds valued at $1,111,750 to see the Boston Bruins, of the National Hockey League, defeat the Hershey Bears of the American Hockey League, 2 to 1, in an exhibition game here last night. About 6000 attended and used their war bonds as admission tickets.

The Bears, leaders of the Eastern Division of the American League, held a slender one-goal lead until the last half of the final period when the Bruins scored twice in two minutes to win.

Fred Hergert scored for the Bears in the second period shortly after Dep Guidolin had been penalized for tripping Capt. Wally Kilrea.

Eureka to Meet Brentwood in Ferguson Final

Brentwood and Eureka high schools meet tomorrow night at the Ferguson gymnasium for the championship in the annual Ferguson High School invitational tournament. Game time is 8:30 p. m.

Hancock and Riverview, the losing semi-finalists, meet an hour earlier to decide third place in the meet.

Preston Ward was a big factor in Eureka's victory over Riverview, 40 to 29, in their semifinal match last night, scoring 22 points while Elmer Sexauer was high for the losers with 10.

Brentwood took Hancock, 35 to 24, in the other semifinal contest. Gen. Gathard's eight points topped Hancock's scoring.

BRENTWOOD 35.	FG.	F.	T.	HANCOCK 24.	FG.	F.	T.
Solberg rf	5	1	2	Davis rf	2	0	4
Facchin lf	0	0	2	Gathert lf	4	0	2
Finney lf	1	1	0	Middleton c	1	2	2
Jordan c	3	0	3	Enloe rg	1	0	1
Bartel c	0	0	0	Hood rg	0	0	0
Berger rg	2	2	2	Calvin lg	2	0	1
Schweizer lg	3	3	3	Fassler lg	0	2	3
Totals	14	7	12	Totals	10	4	13

Score at half—Brentwood 17, Hancock 11. Referee—Meyer. Umpire—Murphy.

EUREKA 40.	FG.	F.	T.	RIVERVIEW 29.	FG.	F.	T.
Jaeger rf	2	1	1	Hoffman rf	0	0	4
Brumme'k lf	2	0	1	Lemasters lf	0	2	3
Ward c	11	0	2	Snyder lf	4	1	3
Woodw'h rg	1	4	1	Sexauer c	4	2	2
Brundege lg	1	1	3	Hoehle rg	1	0	2
				Adams rg	0	0	0
Totals	17	6	8	Sparks rg	0	0	2
				Apple'ge lg	3	0	3
				Totals	12	5	19

Score at half—Eureka 18, Riverview 17. Referee—Meyer. Umpire—Murphy.

Country Day Wins From Western Eleven

Country Day School soccer team, which will meet the Missouri University team in an exhibition here Feb. 6, took a long stride toward the ABC League championship by defeating Western Military Academy yesterday, 3 to 2. Western recently won from John Burroughs.

Joe Glik and Jim Robertson scored for the winners, Robertson getting two goals while Elizondo and Ketz scored for Western.

BASKETBALL SCORES

LOCAL.
FERGUSON SEMIFINALS.
Eureka 40, Riverview 29.
Brentwood 35, Hancock 24.
JUNIOR C. Y. C. LEAGUE.
St. Mary Magdalen 62, Little Flower 6.
St. Roch's 41, Little Flower 28.
Xavier Boys' Club 41, Holy Innocents 10.

Kirkwood 37, St. Louis U. High 32.
Zephyrs 41, Dreadnoughts 23.
Vikings 58, Civilian Train Detach. 25.
Dormers 48, Esquires 40.
Coast Guard 61, McDonnell 38.
Fifth District 16, Fourth District 14.
Second District 15, Third District 14.

By the Associated Press.
EAST.
Delaware 56, Fort DuPont 50.
U. S. Coast Guard Academy (Conn.) 49, Wesleyan 32.
Denison 92, Ohio Northern 47.
Muhlenberg (Pa.) 49, St. Joseph's 41.
Penn 53, Swarthmore 45.
Pittsburgh Corbett 61, Cleveland Chase Brass 46.
Drew (N. J.) 48, Stevens 41.
Harvard 43, Boston Naval Receiving Station 43.
Brooklyn All Stars 47, N. Y. All Stars 43.
Lakehurst Naval Air Station 52, Fort Dix (N. J.) 50.
West Point Army 49, Penn State 38.
Westminster (Pa.) 46, Washington & Jefferson 39.
West Virginia 50, Carnegie Tech. 45.
SOUTH.
Annapolis Navy 45, Temple 33.
Norfolk Naval Training Station 52, Duke 51.
Fairmont State (W. Va.) 63, Alderson-Broaddus 23.
St. Mary's College (Md.) 56, Camp Detrick 24.
Virginia Tech 46, V. M. I. 20.
Western (Ky.) 41, Morehead 35.
University of Louisville 63, Godman Field 39.
Loyola (La.) 59, Algiers Naval Station 39.
N. C. Navy Preflight School 64, Camp Davis 30.
North Carolina 42, N. C. State 27.
Georgia Tech 58, Mayport (Fla.) Naval Station 44.
Harding Field (La.) 50, Louisiana State 48 (overtime).
MIDWEST.
Olathe (Kan.) Naval Air Base 53, Pittsburg Teachers 39.
Washburn College (Kan.) 57, Rockhurst 45.
Iowa Wesleyan 50, Penn (Ia.) 32.
Illinois Normal 66, Western Ill. Teachers 51.
Notre Dame 57, Valparaiso Uni. 44.
DePauw (Ind.) 76, Fort Knox 36.
Stout Field (Ind.) 60, Winchester All Stars 47.
Central 67, Upper Iowa 42.
Wartburg (Ia.) 60, Luther 37.
St. Mary's 60, Mankato (Minn.) Teachers 36.
DePauw V-5 57, Bunker Hill Naval Air Station 53.
Fort Benj Harrison (Ind.) 30, Timmon's Shell 26.
SOUTHWEST.
Oklahoma 43, Phillips University 30.

Janiro Defeats Patterson.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Jan. 27 (AP).—Tony Janiro, 140, Youngstown, O., outpointed Jackie Patterson, 134, Chicago, in a six-round bout here last night.

All-Sports 'Hall of Fame' Proposed For Washington

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—THE Federal Security Agency's Committee on Physical Fitness today authorized creation of a commission to promote plans for the peacetime construction of a national sports hall of fame in Washington.

Erection of the structure, as contemplated by the committee at its quarterly meeting, would be financed through sports activities, without any assistance from the Government.

"The building will serve as a national treasure house for sports," John B. Kelly, committee chairman, said. Included in the proposed exhibits would be the equipment and uniforms worn by famous athletes.

Wm. Hellmich New President Of Muny A. A.

William Hellmich, for many years prominently identified with Amateur Athletic Union and other amateur sports activities in this district, is the new president of the Municipal Athletic Association. Delegates to the Central Council, at a meeting last night, elected Hellmich to succeed Peter J. Fix.

Contrary to reports circulated some weeks ago, harmony prevailed at the meeting which was attended by Park Commissioner Palmer B. Baumes, Deputy Comptroller Ray Schroeder, and was presided over by Bernard C. W. Winkelman, superintendent of recreation.

Other officers named: Walter J. Giesler, first vice-president; Carol O. Kamp, second vice-president; Anthony G. Meagher, secretary-treasurer. Dwight F. Davis, who as Park ommissioner here in 1912 helped found municipal athletics, and Charles W. Steiner, were re-elected honorary president and honorary vice-president.

Record Entry in Tenpin Tourney

Entries for the City Handicap Bowling tournament which opens at Rogers Recreation soon, set new records with 1007 five-man teams, 1524 doubles and 2824 singles, Jerry Ameling, veteran secretary of the Association, announced today.

This represents an increase of 154 five-man teams over the 853 of 1943. Doubles entrants jumped 293 teams from the 1231 of last year while singles contestants numbered 2315 in 1943, 509 fewer than in the 1944 event.

Kirkwood Comes From Behind to Win, 37-32

Three field goals in the last 30 seconds of play, two by John Heimburger and the other by Henry Christman, enabled the Kirkwood High School team to come from behind and defeat the St. Louis U. High five 37 to 32 at Kirkwood last night.

St. Louis U. High was in front most of the way and led 32-31 when the winning rally started.

Heimburger topped the scorers with 14 points on seven field goals while Dick Greene of St. Louis U. High had 12.

In a previous contest, the St. Louis U. High team defeated Kirkwood 34-33.

The St. Louis U. High "B" team defeated Kirkwood "B" in a preliminary contest 29-25.

Mark Roth Dies; With Yankees 30 Years

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Mark James Roth, a member of the New York Yankee front office since Feb. 1, 1915, when the late Col. Jacob Ruppert became connected with the club, died last night after a long illness. He was 62. Roth had not been at his office for almost a year and during the 1943 campaign his duties as road secretary were handled by Rex Weyant.

He is survived by his widow; a son, Sgt. Harold Mark Roth, now in the South Pacific; and a daughter, Mrs. E. J. Sullivan.

Vander Meer Inducted.

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 27 (AP).—Johnny Vander Meer, star pitcher of the Cincinnati Reds, was inducted into the Navy today.

Once classified 4F because of a stomach disorder, he was accepted after undergoing three days of induction center and hospital examination.

Vander Meer is the only big leaguer to pitch two successive no-hit, no-run games. He is a resident of Wyckoff, N. J., and a post-Pearl Harbor father.

Vikings, Zephyrs Win.

The Vikings won from the 341st Civilian Training Detachment, 58-25, while the Zephyrs won from the Dreadnaughts, 41-22, last night in the Downtown Y. M. C. A. League games while in a non-league contest, Dormers defeated the Esquires of the Boys' Club, 48-40.

Tunney Back From Pacific War Zone



—Associated Press Wirephoto.

COMDR. GENE TUNNEY, former world heavyweight boxing champion (left), is shown at breakfast aboard the giant flying boat Mars, en route from Hawaii to San Francisco. His companion is LT. COMDR. W. E. CONEY, of Baltimore, pilot. Tunney just completed seven months of duty in the Pacific war theater.

Valparaiso Is Upset by Irish

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 27 (AP).—The luck of the Irish held last night as the University of Notre Dame upset favored Valparaiso University, 57 to 44, in Notre Dame's eleventh basketball game of the season. The Irish have been winning the odd-numbered games, losing the even.

Notre Dame's attack was paced by freshman Carl Loyd of South Bend, who was playing his last game before induction into the Navy. He led the scoring with 15 points.

The comparatively undersized Irish grabbed an early lead and never were outscored, although the towering Crusaders rallied midway in the first half and trailed at the intermission by only two points, 26 to 24.

SHORT—WAVES

By Avery Little

One of these days there should be an improvement in the caliber of New York Giants' infield recruits. . . . And if that condition does develop credit may go to JOHNNY VERGEZ, former star third baseman, who is now a talent scout for the Giants. . . . Third baseman from 1931 through 1934, Vergez later managed the Oakland Coast League team.



VERGEZ.

Two more sports figures up for induction: HARRY CLARK, leading ground gainer for the Chicago Bears, and HAROLD (JUG) McSPADEN, golfer. . . . This is the third time the Bears have given up their leading ground gainer for George McAfee and Frank Maznicki preceded Clark. . . . They are in the Navy.

BAY MEADOWS, the only race track in California that has operated since Pearl Harbor, has been granted a new 56-day meeting by the State Racing Board. . . . The campaign will extend from March 18 to June 3.

BUDDY BAER, now a staff sergeant in the Army's physical training program, says he will never again be a professional boxer. . . . He's salting away all he can from profits of a cocktail lounge in California, toward the day when he can retire to a cattle ranch.

Brooklyn may soon lose to the armed services Catcher MICKEY OWEN. . . . Branch Rickey said he will lose a man "more valuable to us than Marty Marion is to the Cardinals." . . . That seems to apply to Owen but Branch may have had someone else in mind.

The day that MAX WAXMAN was supposed to start out with JOE LOUIS on the Champ's refereeing tour, Max came down with flu and had to send LEW DIAMOND in his place. . . . ED LEVY, coming up for another trial with the Yanks this spring, was thrown out on 15 of his 30 attempts to steal bases for Newark last season. . . . Former sports scribe BOB BRUMBY, who came down with malaria while covering the Pacific war front, has recovered and will leave soon for the European side of the scrap. . . . When he visits Harry Markson's office on Jacob's Beach, LOU NOVA likes to just sit and look at a photo of himself in the ring with Joe Louis. . . . "It shows me on my feet," Lou explains wistfully.

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By J. Roy Stockton

Chin Up, Keep Smiling Or You're a Scalawag.

SOME baseball men in positions of authority seem to take the stand that anyone who questions the possibility of playing through the 1944 season is guilty of heinous crimes of disloyalty. Branch Rickey suggested recently that the minor leagues of higher classification faced great difficulties; that the man-power situation was so critical that he didn't see how the Double-A leagues could carry on. This drew a blast from the president of the International League and Rickey modified his statement. He explained he meant he couldn't see, for the life of him, how the Montreal farm of the Brooklyn Dodgers could put an adequate squad on the field.

Tris Speaker, the brilliant Gray Eagle of many years ago, said he hoped baseball could survive another war year, but that he was doubtful about it. He, too, was criticised for expressing doubt. Joe Gordon of the Yankees, announcing his decision to enter the armed forces, explained he didn't expect baseball to survive another year.

Jack Zeller of the Detroit Tigers joined the lugubrious contingent. Jack said the Detroit club could count with certainty on only seven players, and implied that he didn't see how the club could look forward to a new season with confidence under the circumstances.

Sam Breadon, president of the Cardinals, was anything but confident about the 1944 season, after Marty Marion had been inducted. Sam said a club would have to field a minimum of 19 players to get through a season. The implication was that prospects for each of 16 major league clubs finding 19 4-F or over-age players were not particularly bright.

Fan Puts Finger on Another Important Point.

LETTERS to Extra Innings from two baseball fans recently stressed another important point. They suggested that if baseball was going to carry on with inferior teams, with 4-F's and players who ordinarily would not be seen near major league parks, something ought to be done to make the admission prices commensurate with the caliber of baseball on display.

There was no answer from the magnates, except to admit that the prices undoubtedly would be higher, instead of lower in 1944, because of added taxes. They naturally dodged the question of inferior baseball. But undoubtedly the magnates, when they gather in New York Feb. 5 for discussion of immediate and postwar problems, will have in mind the probable customer reaction to starless baseball.

Talk of carrying on as long as there are nine available men on each side is largely a brave front. When baseball officials talk off the record most of them admit that it's difficult to visualize the 1944 season as probable. Some even say that it would be better to suspend now for the duration than to have the major leagues collapse in mid-season, on account of loss of manpower or lack of fan interest.

In Times of Lease, Prepare for a War.

SAM BREADON and Don Barnes would have a bit of a local problem on their hands if baseball were to decide to suspend for the duration. When Sportsman's Park was leased from the Ball Estate, nobody thought of the possibility of a war suspending baseball and so there's no war clause in the lease.

"We'd just have to talk to the landlord," Breadon said with a grimace when asked about what the Cardinals would do about their $35,000 annual rental, if baseball suspended. Sam, who admits the manpower problem is a staggering one, said the Cardinals nevertheless were going ahead with plans for 1944. "You have to be an optimist in this game," he explained.

Field Trial Derby Goes to Bonsoir

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MACON, Miss., Jan. 27.—Bonsoir, a pointer, won the National Field Trial Clubs' derby championship here yesterday and his stable mate Bye Bye was runner-up. Both dogs are owned by A. G. C. Sage of New York, and they were handled by the famous Clyde Morton.

Bonsoir, white and orange pointer, was the winner of the quail futurity last fall. Bye Bye was second in this stake also. The dogs are litter mates.

Yankee Outfield Is Riddled by Departures; Bill Johnson to Go

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Any resemblance between the New York Yankee outfield of 1944 and the Keller-DiMaggio-Henrich picket line is going to be purely coincidental, according to reports drifting in from the outlying precincts.

With Roy Weatherly reclassified 1A and probably unavailable for the center field job, Marse Joe McCarthy is down to Johnny Lindell, Bud Metheny, Tuck Stainback and a couple of rookies from Newark and Kansas City.

One of the rookies, big Ed Levy from Newark, is a first baseman by trade but played in the garden for the Bears last year. He has not been formally recalled by the New York club. The other is Russ Derry, a gentleman farmer from Missouri, who could give up only enough time from his crops in '43 to play 40 games with Newark.

Add to that situation the report from Augusta, Ga., that Bill Johnson is due to come before his draft board in the near future, possibly Feb. 7, and you can see another change in the making.

Don Savage, a Newark graduate, may be in line for either third base or the outfield, depending upon the outcome of the Johnson and Weatherly situations.

OTHERS, LIKE SAM, THINK OUTLOOK FOR GAME GLOOMY

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Major league club owners, each with his own private problems, sympathized with Sam Breadon's pessimistic view of the prospects for the 1944 season today but only a few wanted to use a corner of Breadon's crying towel.

The Cardinals' president said it was questionable whether his club would have enough men to operate this year. Breadon estimated that 19 players was the minimum number with which a club could go through the season and added that he could not depend on having that many for the start of the campaign in April.

Other National League club heads took just the opposite stand, hinting at the same time that they wouldn't mind being as well fixed for players as the Cards, while only William O. DeWitt, vice-president of the Browns, and Roger Peckinpaugh, vice-president of the Cleveland Indians, approached Breadon's pessimism.

DeWitt expressed the belief that the majors would have to make a formal decision on whether they should operate before the start of spring training.

"Everyone in baseball wants to keep the game going," he said, "but there's a dual problem not only of having enough players but of having players of major league caliber. After all, we can't put a municipal league team on the field."

DeWitt added that clubs probably would not assume the expense of spring training if there was a likelihood that their teams would melt away in the draft.

Peckinpaugh, agreeing with Breadon's estimate of a 19-man minimum, added: "Right now we have—or think we have—at least that many, but what we'll have two weeks from now is problematical. We're all in the same boat, at least."

Brooklyn's Branch Rickey stated: "We will carry on if we have not 19 but 15 men. I can sympathize with Breadon but not too much."

General Managers Jim Gallagher of the Chicago Cubs and Warren Giles of the Cincinnati Reds both expressed their determination to continue.

"If we had half as many players on our roster, we would consider ourselves very fortunate," said Giles. "We think we can operate. If baseball is as necessary and desirable as we have professed, we should be thinking of ways to carry on and not excuses for quitting."

"It's no use being too pessimistic. We're going ahead with plans to play baseball this season," Gallagher added.

Connie Mack and Clark Griffith also took hopeful viewpoints, although Griffith explained that he believed the continuance of the game was "contingent on war needs, to which we all are dedicated."

Horseman Dies.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Jan. 27 (AP).—A. L. Ferguson, 84, thoroughbred breeder and owner of Windmere Farm near here, died Tuesday night in a Lexington hospital. He was organizer and first president of the old Scott County Fair Association and organized and served as the first vice-president of the first Burley Tobacco Pool in 1907.

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BIG time college football teams go right along arranging grid schedules. . . . But what to use for players is causing midnight headaches already. . . . With the 18-year-olds already Army and Navy bound and the air service trying to pledge even the 17-year high school boys to become cadets, the coach is strictly in the middle, unless his school has Navy or Marine trainees.

"Now you have him, now you haven't," is the coach's plight. . . . For example, Bo McMillin last season had a 17-year-old who turned out to be an amazing football standout—Hoernschemeyer. . . . But this year the star has gone to war.

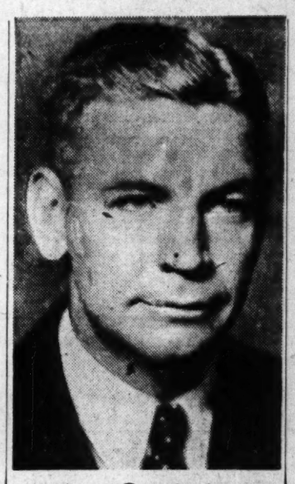
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All of which makes you wonder at Coach Chauncey Simpson of Missouri, who had an 70 per cent kid team last year and no trainee help. . . . Yet Simpson not only has a severe gridiron campaign ahead but he's trying to make it still tougher.

In endeavoring to pledge Illinois University to meet the Tigers in St. Louis Sept. 23, he is flirting with a suicide schedule. . . . If the Tigers play the Illini on the date named, that will give them three successive games with Big Ten teams—the others being Ohio State Sept. 30 and Minnesota Oct. 7.

After that the Tiger fragments will battle the following opponents in order: Kansas State, Iowa State, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Kansas.

At any rate, the arrangement has its good points. . . . When the Tigers graduate to real battle fronts, they will be accustomed to giving odds to the enemy.



An Optimist

CHAUNCEY SIMPSON, Missouri University football coach, who is trying to make a tough schedule tougher, despite even a teen-age power shortage in his squad.

It's a Suggestion Really Worth While.

INCIDENTALLY, the Tiger-Illini tentative game would have to be played before a maximum of 20,000 persons. . . . That's because this city is about the only large one in the country without an adequate-size stadium. And since Sportsman's Park will be devoted to baseball on the date proposed—Sept. 23—such a contest would have to be played at Walsh Stadium or Public Schools Stadium, neither of which can seat more than 15,000.

This emphasizes the suggestion put forward by the Quarterbacks Club to build a civic stadium on the now vacant waterfront in connection with other proposed improvements.

No need to call attention to the many uses to which such a structure might be put. . . . The Cleveland Municipal Stadium, which can handle about 90,000 persons, has been the scene of world championship prize fights, all-star baseball games, league championship contests, football classics and other outdoor exhibitions.

For lack of such a structure St. Louis has drifted into the backwater, out of the current of big time events, in some respects. . . . Particularly has the lack of a "bowl" been felt in football. . . . The city's central location geographically makes it an ideal spot for enterprises of national consequence.

Three decades ago this writer advocated building such a stadium in St. Louis. . . . At that time the United Railways had been ordered by court to pay over to the city a back mill tax amounting with interest to about $2,500,000. . . . "What shall we do with it?" was the question discussed by the city fathers.

That prompted this writer's plea for a civic arena following the pattern of the Yale Bowl, which not long before had set the pace in such structures throughout the country. . . . The idea received attention but was not acted upon.

Had it been, St. Louis would have headed the civic "bowl" parade, instead of sitting on the side lines watching it pass.

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Hoppe Defeats Cochran by 209 Points in Match

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Willie Hoppe defeated Welker Cochran, 2150-1941, in their cross-country nontitle three-cushion billiard match but Cochran captured the final block of the tour, 59-50, in 59 innings.

After winning this afternoon, 50-42 in 43 innings, Hoppe bowed last night but captured the 300-point New York series, 300-286.

Hoppe's evening high run was eight while Cochran's best was four. Hoppe started out red hot with a 23-8 edge in the first 14 innings, but picked up only four points in the next 18 frames. Cochran won inside the block, 50-42, in 52 innings but chose to continue in an effort to hit the 300-point mark before Hoppe could pick up the necessary markers.

C. B. C. Riflemen Win From Alton High, Hold League Lead

By defeating Alton High yesterday, Christian Brothers' rifle team took over the lead in the Greater St. Louis Junior Rifle League. The Brothers have been victors in four straight weekly rounds. The score was C. B. C. 726, Alton 724.

Cleveland defeated Country Day, 713 to 694, to take second place, and Webster Groves won from John Burroughs, 717 to 708.

Xavier Boys' Club Wins C. Y. C. Title

Defeating Holy Innocents, 41 to 10, the Xavier Boys' Club won the championship of the Southwest Division in the Junior C. Y. C. league last night. It was Xavier's sixth successive triumph.

St. Mary Magdalen won from Little Flower, 62 to 6.

In the C. Y. C. Intermediate division, St. Roch's won from Little Flower 41 to 28.

Frank Finnegan, St. Roch's, and Koster, St. Mary Magdalen, tied for the evening's high scoring honors, each 16 points.

Fifth District Five Wins, Takes Lead

Defeating the Fourth District five 16 to 14, the Fifth District basketball team moved into first place in the Northern Division of the Police Juvenile Basketball League last night at the Police Gymnasium.

Second District nosed out the First District team 15 to 14 in the Southern Division to keep second place.

Eddie Caine was high scorer for the Fifth District and Jim Hunter topped the Second District team. Each counted eight points.

Ritenour Wrestlers Defeat Maplewood

Reversing the verdict of a week ago, Ritenour High wrestlers yesterday defeated Maplewood, 23 to 9, taking all but three bouts. The defeat suffered a week ago was the first reverse for Ritenour in five years of competition.

Hagberg, Navy Star In 20's, to Be Coach

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 27 (AP).—Cmdr. Oscar E. Hagberg, U. S. N., of Follansbee, W. Va., an end and fullback of Navy's football teams in the late 1920's and later assistant coach, has been assigned to duty at the Naval Academy, the superintendent's office said today. He has been on sea duty as a submarine skipper.

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

ELIZABETH, N. J.—Tony Janiro, 140, Youngstown, O., outpointed Jackie Patterson, 134, Chicago (6); Jerry Coursol, 140, Valley Stream, N. Y., outpointed Milton Bell, 133, New York (6).

SCRANTON, Pa.—Lou Salica, 121, New York, outpointed Don McLean, 118, New York (10).

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BACK PAY FOR MONTH BARRED TO STRIKERS

WLB Group Penalizes Cramp Men for Defying Order to Return to Work.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—The War Labor Board Shipbuilding Commission, in the first case of its kind, yesterday cracked down on striking workers who refused to return to work at the direction of the WLB pending settlement of a dispute.

In a decision from which labor members dissented, the commission directed that members of the International Union of Marine and Shipbuilding Workers (CIO) who went on strike at the Cramp shipyard in Philadelphia be penalized for failure to return to work at the telegraphed order of the WLB by losing one month's retroactivity on any increases that might be approved in the wage case now pending.

The commission said the Cramp workers participated on Jan. 6 in an unauthorized strike in protest against dismissal of painters who refused to use paint spray guns. The strikers voted to stay out despite pleas from international union officers and telegraphic directions from the WLB. The strike ended after four days following further appeals by union officers.

"The national board has never had this particular issue before it in this form," the opinion said, "but on occasions has withdrawn or withheld maintenance of membership provisions from unions which had given evidence of irresponsibility through strikes."

Chairman William E. Simkin of the commission said in the majority opinion that in case of "outright defiance" the agency "has no alternative but to take such disciplinary action as is consistent with its public responsibility."

DIES GROUP TO INVESTIGATE C1O POLITICAL COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—Granted a new appropriation of $75,000, Chairman Dies (Dem.), Texas, of the House Committee on un-American Activities today set out on a program of investigations that calls for inquiries into the CIO, the "Peace Now" organization, the United States Civil Service Commission, and the Japanese.

Dies said he wanted to find out what the CIO Political Action Committee has in mind. The CIO group, he said in an interview, has raised a fund approaching two millions dollars "to defeat members of Congress."

The investigation of "Peace Now," an organization advocating negotiated peace, already is under way, Dies disclosed, as is an inquiry into practices of the Civil Service Commission. During the last year, the committee has devoted most of its time to checking up on Japanese activities in this country.

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(Yesterday's Weather Bureau Reports)

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Chicago	52	51	...
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Denver	28	20	.88
Ft. Worth	73	49	.17
Kansas City	65	56	.57
Los Angles	57	...	.02
Memphis	65	63	...
Miami	74	70	...
Minneapolis	41	35	...
New Orleans	76	65	...
New York	49	35	...
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"Riding High," at 2:10, 5:22, 10:01, 12:57, 4:09, 7:21; "Sneak" preview at 8:30.

LOEW'S STATE
"Madame Curie," at 10:56, 1:41, 4:26, 7:11 9:56.

MISSOURI
"Calling Dr. Death," at 12:40, 3:25, 6:10, 8:55; "The Ghost Ship," at 1:44, 4:29, 7:14, 9:59.

ORPHEUM
"Cross of Lorraine," at 10:15, 1:12 4:09, 7:06, 10:05; "Klondike Kate," at 11:58, 2:55, 5:52, 8:49.

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"Good Old Days," at 6 and 8:52.

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"His Butler's Sister," at 12:30, 3:45, 7, 10:15; "Government Girl," at 2:05, 5:20, 8:35.

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"The Lady Vanishes," at 7:15, 9.

INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY DECLINES ON STEEL, CHEMICAL CUTBACKS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—The Federal Reserve Board reported yesterday that industrial activity declined slightly in December from the record October-November level, chiefly as a result of reduced steel and chemicals output. The board's seasonally adjusted industrial production index fell 2 points to 245 per cent of the 1935-39 average.

Despite a 6 per cent drop in steel production to the same rate as December, 1942, the year's output of 88,900,000 tons, the board said, was 2,800,000 tons larger than that of the previous 12 months.

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MELBA MICHIGAN	Grand and Miami Michigan & Robert	ALAN LADD LORETTA YOUNG 'CHINA' VAN JOHNSON 'DR. GILLESPIE'S CRIMINAL CASE'	MOVIE GOERS ★ LET'S ALL BACK THE ATTACK 4TH WAR LOAN ★ BUY EXTRA BONDS AT THESE THEATRES
CINDERELLA VIRGINIA	Cherokee & Iowa 5115 Virginia	Betty Grable 'SWEET ROSIE O'GRADY' Robert Young Tom Conway Jean Brooks 'Seventh Victim'	
LEMAY	318 Lemay Ferry	Franchot Tone, 'Five Graves to Cairo.' Jerry Colonna, 'Priorities on Parade.'	
SOUTHWAY	9736 S. Broadway	15c plus tax. Eddie Bracken, 'Sweater Girl.' Richard Arlen, 'Fly by Night.'	
SAVOY	Ferguson, Mo.	Cecil Kellaway, 'GOOD FELLOWS' Fred MacMurray, 'FOREST RANGERS.'	
STUDIO	6227 Nat. Bridge	Cecil Kellaway in 'The Good Fellows' and Alan Ladd in 'THE GLASS KEY.'	
NORMANDY	7324 Nat. Bridge	Claudette Colbert, 'Palm Beach Story.' R. Preston, 'Night Plane From Chungking.'	
O'FALLON	4026 W. Florissant	Cary Grant, 'Amazing Adventure'	
BADEN	PARK 3201 N. FREE Broadway	WALLACE FORD 'MARINES COME THROUGH'	
ASHLAND	3520 N. Newstead	AUTUMN BOUQUET NIGHT	
QUEENS	4700 Maffitt	R. Dix, 'Buckskin Frontier' & 'Henry Aldrich Swings It.' Petit Pt. Coupons Redeemed.	
BREMEN SALISBURY	20th and Bremen 2504 Salisbury	Richard Dix 'BUCKSKIN FRONTIER' Jane Wyatt Jimmy Lydon, 'Henry Aldrich Swings It' Salisbury Only—Rosella Night.	
JANET	6900 W. Florissant	Bob Hope, Betty Hutton, 'Let's Face It.' C. Kellaway, Helen Walker, 'Good Fellows'	
LOWELL	5039 N. Broadway	Preston Foster, 'Westland Case' & 'Danger on the Air.' Vermilion Rose Night.	
BRIDGE	4889 Natural Bridge	M. Oberon, 'First Comes Courage.' W. Baxter, 'Crime Doctor.' Bolero Blossom Night.	
PAULINE	5000 Claxton	C. Grant, 'Amazing Adventure' & 'Marines Come Through.' Dinnerw'e Coups. Redeem.	
ROBIN	5479 Robin	G. Sanders, 'Paris After Dark.' W. Tracy, 'Yanks Ahoy!' Dinnerw'e Coups. Redeem.	
MELVIN	2912 Chippewa	A. Joslyn, E. Keyes, 'Dangerous Blondes.' V. Lake, A. Ladd, 'THE GLASS KEY.'	
BEVERLY GEM	7740 Park Olive Free St. Johns	HEDY LAMARR Walter Pidgeon 'WHITE CARGO' At 8:15 WARREN WILLIAM, 'PASSPORT TO SUEZ.' Cartoon.	
OVERLAND	Overland, Mo.	BRUCE CABOT Constance Bennett 'WILD BILL HICKOK' At 8:15 Jean Parker, Billy Conn, 'Pittsburgh Kid.' Cartoon.	
OSAGE	Kirkwood, Mo.	DONALD O'CONNOR, PEGGY RYAN, 'TOP MAN' ROBERT PAIGE, LOUISE ALLBRITTON, 'FIRED WIFE'	
OZARK	Webster Groves Starts 7 P. M.	30c Tax Inc. Ronald Colman - Basil Rathbone - Frances Dee 'IF I WERE KING' Bobby Watson, 'THAT NAZTY NUISANCE'	
APOLLO	DeBal. & Waterman	GARY COOPER BABE RUTH WALTER BRENNAN 'PRIDE OF THE YANKEES'	
Compton	3145 Park	Fredric March, 'One Foot in Heaven.' J. Davis, 'Two Senoritas From Chicago.'	
FAIRY	5640 Easton	Betty Grable, 'SWEET ROSIE O'GRADY.' and 'KID DYNAMITE.'	
HI-WAY	2705 N. Flor.	Family Night ★ Stanley Ridges, Rex Williams, 'False Faces.' Johnny Mack Brown, 'Outlaws of Stampede Pass.' News. Com.	
KING BEE	1710 N. Jefferson	Tumblers, Ladies, B. Joyce, 'Thumbs Up' & 'REVENGE OF THE ZOMBIES.'	
Kirkwood	Kirkwood, Mo.	Cantor, Bogart, 'Thank Your Lucky Stars' & 'Report From the Aleutians.'	
Lexington	3408 N. Union	25c Inc. Tax GALE STORM 'Revenge of the Zombies' JOHNNY MACK BROWN 'SIX GUN GOSPEL' SHORTS NEWS	
LYRIC	CH. 2262 8th Near Pine	J. WAYNE, 'A LADY TAKES A CHANCE' Don Barry, 'Outlaws of Pine Ridge'	
McNAIR	2869 McNair and 'MYSTERIOUS GUEST.'	3 Features, 3 Mesquiteers, 'BLOCK TRAIL.' 'HERE COMES KELLY' Cartoon.	
Macklind	5416 Arsenal	Merle Oberon, 'First Comes Courage.' Ann Sheridan, 'Juke Girl.' Cartoon, Shorts.	
PALM	3010 Union	25c INC. TAX ROBERT TAYLOR LANA TURNER 'JOHNNY EAGER' Ann Sothern, 'PANAMA HATTIE.'	
Plymouth	1175 Hamilton	25c. Gary Cooper, 'Souls at Sea.' Joe E. Brown in 'Joan of the Ozarks.' Cart.	
Rivoli	CE. 8341 6th Near Olive	ANN MILLER 'TRUE TO THE ARMY' RICHARD DIX, 'TOMBSTONE'	
PRINCESS	2841 Postalozzi	Request Night. K. Hepburn, John Bennett, Paul Lukas, 'Little Women.' B. Hope, F. Goddard, 'Cat and the Canary.'	
U. CITY	6324 Bartmer	B. Donlevy, Joel McCrea, 'Union Pacific.' E. McLane, 'GENTLE GANGSTER.'	
Webster	Hadley & Clinton	G. Sanders, B. Marshall, 'Paris After Dark.' Dick Foran, 'Prairie Frontier.'	
Wellston	6236 Easton	LUM & ABNER 'So This Is Washington' JEAN ARTHUR - JOHN WAYNE 'A Lady Takes a Chance'	

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NEW SHENANDOAH	2227 S. Broadway	James Cagney Gladys George 'JOHNNY COME LATELY' Johnny Arthur in 'THAT NAZTY NUISANCE.'
BRENTWOOD	2529 Brentwood	JEAN ARTHUR John Wayne 'A LADY TAES A CHANCE' Harold Peary 'GILDERSLEEVE'S BAD DAY' Cartoon, News. J. Darwell
IVANHOE	3239 Ivanhoe	C. Coburn, Isobel Elson, 'MY KINGDOM FOR A COOK.' J. Davis, '2 SENORITAS FROM CHICAGO.'
LONGWOOD	9415 S. B'way	Richard Quine, 'We've Never Been Licked.' Bill Lundigan, Shirley Ross, 'SAILORS ON LEAVE.'
MARYLAND	1860 S. 13th	BARBARA STANWYCK JOEL McCREA 'UNION PACIFIC'
WHITE WAY	Sixth & Hickory	GARY COOPER GEORGE RAFT 'SOULS AT SEA'
New Merry Widow	17th & Chouteau	Ann Sothern, James Craig, SWING SHIFT MAISIE.' Patric Knowles, Evelyn Ankers, 'ALL BY MYSELF.'
PEERLESS	1915 S. Broadway	Zane Grey's 'KNIGHT OF RANGE.' Dean Jagger, 'I ESCAPED FROM THE GESTAPO.'

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DEATHS

ASTROTH, MARTHA (nee Meiners) — 5349 St. Louis, Wed., Jan. 26, 1944, 12:20 p. m., beloved wife of the late John C. Astroth, dear mother of Mrs. Katheryne Dreyfus, Mrs. Emma Gove, Mrs. Frieda Klatt, Frank W. A. Elmer, Irwin H. and the late John Astroth, our dear mother-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother and aunt.
Funeral from Calvin F. Feutz Funeral Home, 4828 Natural Bridge, Sat., Jan. 29, 1:30 p. m. Interment St. Peter's Cemetery. A member of Women's Guild and Martha Bible Class of St. Peter's Ev. and Reformed Church. Parking in rear of chapel.

AUER, IRENE—Suddenly, Tues., Jan. 25, 1944, dear daughter of Emma and the late Frederick E. Auer, dear sister of Erma Scissors, Reno, August, Grace Elkins, Violet Wiese, Pvt. Roy R. and Sgt. Fred E. Auer, dear sister-in-law, aunt, great-aunt, niece and cousin.
Funeral Sat., Jan. 29, 8:30 a. m., from Stroot & Carroll Funeral Home, 4600 Natural Bridge av., to St. Louise de Marillac Church, 6350 Garesche. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

AUTRY, MARTHA J. (Josie)—3322 Dix, Wed., Jan. 26, 1944, beloved wife of George A. Autry, dear mother of Mrs. Ella E. Wallace, William T. and Pfc. Ronald Autry, dear sister, grandmother, mother-in-law and aunt.
Funeral Sat., Jan. 29, 2 p. m., from Baumann Bros.' Funeral Home, 2504 Woodson rd., Overland. Interment Zion Cemetery.

AVEROLO, CORP. ALBERT F.—2562 Palm, U. S. M. C., Nov. 20, 1943, killed in action, dear brother of Celesta Bennett, Rose Duffy, Mary Lee, Paul Jr., Charles, seaman 2/c, Leonard, ph. mate 3/c, Katherine; brother-in-law, uncle, cousin and nephew, at the age of 27 years.
Military memorial services, Sacred Heart Church, Jan. 29th, 9 o'clock.

BAKER, ETHEL E.—2511 Chester, Wed., Jan. 26, 1944, beloved wife of Rollie O. Baker, dear mother of Glenn Baker, our dear mother-in-law, grandmother, sister, sister-in-law and aunt.
Funeral Sat., Jan. 29, 3 p. m. from Drehmann-Harral Chapel, 1905 Union.

BARRETT, THOMAS—2839A St. Vincent, Tues., Jan. 25, 1944, 3:30 p. m., dear husband of the late Anna Barrett, dear father of Mrs. Margaret Kinsella and Mrs. Ina Stein, dear brother of Owen Fitzpatrick, dear father-in-law, brother-in-law, uncle and grandfather.
Funeral from Schnur Funeral Home, 3125 Lafayette, Fri., Jan. 28, 8:30 a. m., to The Immaculate Conception Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

BAYER, ALFRED H.—3719A S. Jefferson, suddenly Wed., Jan. 26, 1944, beloved husband of Elizabeth Bayer (nee Handel), dear father of John Schulz and James Kenney, dear brother of Mrs. Ben Zenk, Mrs. G. H. Goebel, Mrs. Lee Triggs and Arthur Bayer, our dear father-in-law, brother-in-law, grandfather, uncle and cousin.
Funeral Sat., 2 p. m., from Beiderwieden South Side Funeral Home, 3620 Chippewa, to New St. Marcus Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Local No. 187 of the I. B. of T., C. and A. H. W. of A. and Local No. 42 of the I. H. C. B. and C. L. U. of A.

BRANT, MAGGIE—At her home, De Soto, Mo., Tues., Jan. 25, 1944, dear wife of W. L. Brant.
Service Fri., 2 p. m., from Mothershead Chapel.

BROGLI, TANTA ANNIE (nee Spissinger)—1257 Salena, Mon., Jan. 24, 1944, at 10:20 p. m., beloved wife of GeGorge Brogli, dear mother of Helen Tiemann, dear grandmother of Gilbert Tiemann, U. S. N., Anne Tiemann and our dear aunt.
Funeral from Kutis Funeral Home, 2906 Gravois, Fri., Jan. 28, 8:30 a. m. Requiem at St. Agatha Church. Interment New SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Member of St. Agatha Married Ladies' Sodality.

BUKVIC, FRERERIK — 5905 Russell, Brentwood, entered into rest Jan. 27, 1944, beloved husband of Henrietta Bukvic, devoted father of Pauline Mackay (nee Bukvic), loving grandfather of Shirley, Dorothea and Freddie Mackay, father-in-law of Ben Mackay.
Services Sat., Jan. 29, 2 p. m., from the Bopp Funeral Church, Hanley rd. and Forsythe bl., Clayton, to Valhalla Chapel of Memories. Mr. Bukvic was a member of the Meat Cutters' Union, Local No. 545.

BYNUM, ELIZABETH (nee Hampton)—7407 Vulcan, Thurs., Jan. 27, 1944, dear mother of Amos Thurman, Clara Lepchankie and Louis Bynum, dear mother-in-law and grandmother.
Funeral Fri., Jan. 28, 1:30 p. m., from Moydell's, Mississippi and Allen avs. Interment New St. Marcus Cemetery.

COLLINS, DAVID H. JR.—Killed in action, Aug. 30, 1942, in the South Pacific, Solomon Islands, on cruiser U. S. S. Astoria. Dear son of David H. Collins Sr. and the late Annette Collins, brother of Mrs. Ruth Kollinger, Mrs. Grace Collins and Jeanette Magditch of Detroit, Michigan.

FLYNN, WILLIAM J.—5705 S. Broadway, on Tues., Jan. 25, 1944, at 9:45 a. m., beloved husband of Lillian Flynn (nee Koppen), dear father of Mrs. James S. Tillman, dear father-in-law, brother-in-law, grandfather and uncle.
Funeral, Fri., Jan. 28, at 8:30 a. m. from the Jos. P. Fendler Jr. Funeral Home, 7128 Michigan at Nagel, to St. Mary and Joseph's Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. A member of Holy Name Society, St. Vincent De Paul Society. Charter member of Marquette Council No. 606, K. of C., and St. Louis Assembly, 4th Degree.

FROEHLICH, WILLIAM E.—4720 Pennsylvania, Thurs., Jan. 27, 1944, beloved husband of Amelia Kappler Froehlich, dear brother of Alfred Froehlich, our dear brother-in-law and uncle.
Funeral from the Southern Funeral Home, 6322 S. Grand bl., Sat., Jan. 29, 2 p. m., to Missouri Crematory.

GAUSMANN, MARY (nee Schoen)—Tues., Jan. 25, 1944, 11:30 p. m., widow of Henry Gausmann, dear mother of Frank, William, Roger and the late George and Emil Gausmann, dear mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother, in her 93d year.
Funeral from Wacker-Helderle Chapel, 3634 Gravois, Fri., Jan. 28, 3 p. m. Interment New Mother Cemetery.

GILLESPIE, HELENA (nee Banhart)—5427 Thoizan av., Wed., Jan. 26, 1944, 3:15 p. m., beloved wife of the late George Gillespie, dear mother of Mrs. A. Hoerpick and William W. Gillespie, dear mother-in-law, grandmother and aunt.
Funeral from Kriegshauser Mortuary, 4228 S. Kingshighway bl., Sat., Jan. 29, 8:30 a. m., to St. Mary Magdalen Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. A member of Married Ladies' Sodality of Holy Family Parish.

GLOSEMEYER, DR. ROY S.—4824 Lee av., Wed., Jan. 26, 1944, 5:30 a. m., dear son of Otto and Olivia Glosemeyer (nee Baumann), dear brother of Mrs. Raymond Mabon, dear nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Elfgen, dear brother-in-law, uncle, cousin and nephew.
Funeral Sat., Jan. 29, 8:30 a. m., from Stroot-Carroll Funeral Home, 4600 Natural Bridge av., to St. Engelbert's Church. Interment St. Peter's Cemetery, St. Charles, Mo.

GREENHAW, ANN M., (nee Wiese) — Okmulgee, Okla., Tues., Jan. 25, 1944, 4:45 a. m., beloved wife of Berry Greenhaw, dear daughter of Mrs. Anna Wiese (nee Peters) and the late Henry Wiese, dear sister of the late William and Officer Henry (Red) Wiese, dear sister-in-law, aunt and niece.
Funeral from Calvin F. Feutz Funeral Home, 4828 Natural Bridge, Sat., Jan. 29, 10 a. m. Interment Zion Cemetery.

GREENWALD, ROSE BARRY (nee Maynard)—Tues., Jan. 25, 1944, at Lakeland, Fla., beloved wife of Joseph E. Greenwald, dear mother of Mrs. Joseph Cosgrove, James E. Barry Jr., Mrs. Joseph Gunther and Mrs. Andrew Heisserer, and our dear grandmother and sister.
Funeral from the Lawrence Mullen Funeral Parlors, 5165 Delmar bl., Sat., Jan. 29 at 9:30 a. m. to St. Joseph's Church, Clayton. Interment Calvary Cemetery.
Remains will arrive Fri., Jan. 28, 11 a. m.

GUELBERT, CHIEF PETTY OFFICER, U. S. N., WOODROW LOUIS—Sat., Jan. 22, 1944, 5:30 a. m., at Brunswick, Ga., beloved husband of Jean Guelbert (nee Beaumont), dear son of Alma Guelbert (nee Mueller), and the late George Guelbert; dear brother of Jules Guelbert, S. F. 3rd Class of U. S. N., Horace Guelbert, and Raymond Guelbert, S. F. 3rd Class of U. S. N., Emma, Adolphine, Delores and Yvette Guelbert; dear son-in-law, brother-in-law, uncle great uncle and cousin.
Funeral from Schnur Funeral Home, 3125 Lafayette ave., at 8:30 a. m. to St. Alphonsus Liguori (Rock) Church. Interment National Cemetery, Jefferson Barracks, Mo. Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold services Thurs., Jan. 27 at 8:30 p. m. at the parlors.

HAVERPORTH, MAMIE (nee Lawler)—11104 Obear, entered into rest Wed., Jan. 26, 1944, dear mother of Earl and late Arthur Haverporth, sister of Mrs. Anthony Froehlich and Tom Lawler, our dear sister-in-law and aunt.
Funeral Sat., Jan. 29, 9:30 a. m., from W. A. Stock Mortuary, Grand and Florissant, to Holy Name Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

HUBER, ANNA (nee Touzinsky)—4240A Lawn, Wed., Jan. 26, 1944, 6 p. m., beloved wife of John Huber, dear mother of Anna Vlasak, dear mother-in-law of John Vlasak, dear grandmother of Pfc. Richard J. Vlasak, Angela Vlasak and Blanche Sturm, our dear sister-in-law and aunt.
Funeral from Kutis Funeral Home, 2906 Gravois, Sat., Jan. 29, 9:30 a. m. Requiem mass St. Mary Magdalen church. Interment SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery. Member of St. Ludmila Society.

HUNT, ANNETTA — 6354 Alamo, Jan. 25, 1944, beloved wife of the late Leigh Hunt, dear mother of Mrs. Oscar E. Peterson and Mrs. Edwin Baur.
Funeral from Edith E. Ambruster New Colonial Funeral Home, 4053 Lindell bl., Fri., Jan. 28, 2 p. m. Interment Valhalla Cemetery.

KING, ARCHIE ROBERT — 2609 National Bridge, Sun., Jan. 23, 1944, 8:15 a. m., beloved husband of Mrs. Nellie Mae King (nee Simonin), dear father of Vernon Archie King, dear son of Augusta King and the late William L. King, brother of Alma Albrecht, Harry, Sid, William and Louis, brother-in-law, uncle, nephew and cousin, beloved friend of Robert and Frances Wagner.
Funeral from Geisdorf-Chapel, 2223 St. Louis av., Fri., Jan. 28, 1:30 p. m. Interment National Cemetery, Jefferson Barracks.

KOFMON, JOSEPHINE (nee Koselka)—1857 S. Thirteenth st., Thurs., Jan. 27, 1944, our dear aunt.
Funeral Sat., Jan. 29, 1:30 p. m., from Moydell's, Mississippi and Allen avs., to St. John of Nepomuk Church. Interment New SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Note change in time of funeral.

KRINARD, CHARLES WILLIAM—1319A Rutger. Member of Women's Guild and Martha Bible Class of St. Peter's Ev. and Reformed Church. Parking in rear of chapel.

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SOME ARGENTINE BONDS UP; DOMESTIC ISSUES MIXED

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—A general mixture of minor gains and losses left the bond market's price structure only slightly changed today. There were a few firm and soft spots in the rials, but the majority moved within a fractional area. Several Argentine municipal bonds were strong.

Late gainers in the domestic list included Central of Georgia 4s and 5s and Pennsylvania 5s. Baltimore & Ohio loans eased along with those of the Rock Island and Northern Pacific.

Argentine municipal obligations were particularly favored on the theory their position had improved considerably by Argentina's breaking with the Axis. Other foreign dollar bonds were quiet but steady. Irish Free State 5s sold at 98¾, up 2⅛.

Treasury 2½s of 1955 sold at 106.9 for a gain of more than a point. It was the first sale of that bond since last April.

Central of Georgia issues were among the best gainers, the first 5s of '45 closing at 90, up 2½, the Consolidated 5s adding 1⅛ at 46⅝ and the 5s of '59 closing up a point at 16¼. Most other active issues finished with minor changes either way, the Missouri Pacific F 5s of '77 closing unchanged at 59⅝ and Frisco A 4s of '50 picking up ¼ at 37⅝ in good volume.

STOCKS WELL MIXED IN SLOW TRADING

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Specialties, notably liquors, enjoyed a mild recovery bender in today's stock market while many leaders elsewhere were unable to raise much of a come-back thirst.

Earnings, actual and prospective, in addition to another batch of relatively pleasing dividends, provided the principal props for favorites. Rails, though, had to contend with a sizable drop in December income for most roads. Handicaps persisted in tax doubts, fears of Allied squabbles over the Russian-Polish dispute and continued occupation of Wall Street with the war bond drive.

Trends were mixed at the start. Fractional irregularity prevailed near the close although there were a few swings of 1 to 2 points either way. Dealings were slow at intervals.

Park & Tilford and United Merchants & Manufacturers touched new peaks for 1943-44. In front most of the time were Schenley, American Distilling "plain," Electric Power & Light preferreds and J. C. Penney. Steels were about unchanged. Inclined to slip were Chrysler, Santa Fe, Southern Pacific, Western Union A, Montgomery Ward and du Pont.

Of the 818 issues traded in today, 316 were lower, 252 higher and 250 unchanged. Twelve made new 1943-44 highs and one new 1943-44 low.

Sales were 595,190 shares.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks closed at 50.2, or down 0.1.

Occasional curb gainers were American Gas, Glen Alden Coal, Cities Service and N. J. Zinc. American Light faltered, along with Brewster Aero and Puget Sound Power.

The distilling group had the benefit of the War Production Board announcement that no new whisky could be turned out this year because armament needs for alcohol would absorb the full efforts of all liquor plants.

Boardrooms discerned an optimistic sign, so far as resumption of civilian manufacture was concerned, in word that inventories of refined copper in the hands of the Government and industry would be around 422,000 tons by the end of January. This highlighted the piling up of raw materials in other sectors as the result of increased output, equipment cutbacks and manpower scarcity in wholly public consumers' lines.

In the following table will be found the sales, closing prices and net changes of the most active stocks traded in on the New York Stock Exchange today:

Security.	Sales.	Close.	Change.
Eng Pub Svc	11,800	30	...
Gulf Mob & O	8,600	8½	+ ⅛
South Pacific	8,100	27	— ⅝
Radio	7,500	9⅜	+ ⅛
Gen Bronze	7,000	9	+ ¼
Packard Mot	7,000	3⅝	— ⅛
Burroughs Ad Ma	6,000	12⅞	+ ⅛
Del & Hudson	6,000	20⅛	— ⅛
Int Tel & Tel	5,900	12⅜	...
Braniff Airw	5,700	13½	+ ⅛
Bald Loco ct	5,300	19¾	+ ⅛
Studebaker	5,300	14⅜	...
Farns Tel & Rad	5,200	12⅛	+ ¼
Pac Tin	5,200	4⅝	+ ⅛
U S Steel	4,900	52	....

BETHLEHEM STEEL EARNINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Bethlehem Steel Corp. reported today its net income for the quarter ended Dec. 31 was $12,707,797, equal after preferred dividend requirements to $3.72 a share on the common stock. This compared with $6,573,892, or $1.65 a share, in the third quarter of 1943, and $5,731,289, or $1.37 a share in the final three months of 1942.

A preliminary report for 1943 disclosed profits of $32,124,592, equal to $8.58 a share on common stock, compared with $25,387,760, or $6.31 a share in 1942. Directors declared a dividend of $1.50 on the common stock. The company has paid at this rate quarterly for the last several years.

Eugene G. Grace, president, said in the report that Bethlehem's steel production of ingots and castings averaged 104.2 per cent of capacity in the fourth quarter against 101.6 in the third period. For the entire year operations averaged 100.9 per cent compared whit 98 per cent in 1942. Current operations were at the rate of 102 per cent, he said.

Bethlehem Steel paid, or provided out of income in 1943, for taxes $147,236,300, compared with $185,704,093 paid or provided in 1942.

RAIL EARNINGS

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Chicago Great Western Railway net income for the 12 months ended Dec. 31, 1943, was $2,705,827 against $2,617,491 in 1942.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—The Rock Island lines net railway operating income after Federal taxes of $36,794,983 for 1943, compared with $36,577,111 for 1942.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 27.—The Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad net income for 1943, after all taxes and charges, of $3,188,531, an increase of $369,242 over 1942. The 1943 figures include 11 months' earnings of the former Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Co., in receivership, and December earnings of the new M. and St. Louis Railway Co., and its subsidiary, M. and St. L. Railroad Corp.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 27.—The Western Maryland Railroad reported that its 1943 net income hit the all-time peak of $4,509,440 after deductions for taxes and charges, compared with $4,162,230 in 1942.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway 1943 12-month totals were: Net railway operating income, $65,830,748; gross, $471,119,015, compared with 1942 totals of $83,547,609 net and $361,148,930 gross.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad preliminary net income for 1943 of $4,688,759 equal to $2.78 a share, compared with $5,149,485 or $3.05 for 1942.

The Gulf, Mobile & Ohio Railroad net operating income for 1943 of $5,918,935, compared with $5,648,668 the previous year.

The Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway net operating income for 1943 of $5,083,496 compared with $5,702,913 for the 1942 period.

CORPORATION REPORTS

	December Quarter.	1943.
A. M. Byers	.63	1.01
Carpenter Steel	.99	1.02
	6 Months Dec. 31	1942
Procter & Gamble	1.57	1.54
United Merchants & Mfrs.	5.11	4.04
	Fiscal Year Nov. 30	1942
Manhattan Shirt	2.70	3.03
	Year Ended Oct. 31	1942
US Leather	$1,063,881	$1,420,361
John Morrell & Co.	3.62	3.97
Lee Rubber & Tire	5.14	4.74
	Dec. 31 9 Months	1942
Remington-Rand	1.26	1.55
	1943	1942
Savage Arms	*1.52	2.45
Freeport Sulphur	3.10	3.05
U. S. Pipe & Foundry	2.31	2.38
Northwest Bancorporation	2.21	1.61

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STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Today's closing prices on a selecetd list of stocks traded in on the New York Stock Exchange will be found in the following table:

SECURITY.	Close.	SECURITY.	Close.
AlCh&D6	142¾	Ken Cop 3g	30¾
AmBosch	12½	Lac Gas pf	63½
AmCab&Rad	8⅝	Ligg&MB 3a	71¾
AmCan3	86	Lockheed 2	15⅝
*AmDistil1	107	Loew's 2a	58¼
**do stpd	50¾	Lorill 1.20g	18¼
AmLoco½g	15⅝	Martin GL 3g	16⅝
AmR&St8.40g	9¼	MayDeptStrs 3	53
AmRolliM1g	13⅛	Mont Ward 2	45
AmS&R2a	37⅛	Nash Kelv ½	12½
AmT&T9	157	Nat Bisc .60c	21¾
AmTobB3a	62½	Nat D Pr 1g	20
AmZL&S	4¼	NYCenRR 1e	16⅝
Anaconda2½g	24⅞	NorAmCo .29f	16¼
††AT&SF1½g	57¼	Nor Pac 1e	14⅝
AtlCoastL3g	28⅛	Ohio Oil ½a	18
AtiRefin1g	25	Pac Tin	4¾
AviaCorp.20g	3¾	Packard .10g	3⅛
BaldLct1½g	19¾	PanAmAir 1g	30¼
B&O	6½	ParaPict 1.60	23½
BarnsdOil.60a	16¾	Park & Til	73¾
BendixAvia3	33⅞	PatinoMine 4g	20¼
BethSt16	57⅞	PenneyJC3a	96
Braniff .60	13½	PennRR 2½g	27¾
BoeingAirpl2g	13⅞	PepsiCola2a	49¼
Borden 1½g	29½	PheDod 1.60	21¼
BurrAdMa 20e	12⅜	Phil Pet 2	45⅝
Case	35½	Pullman3g	39
Ca03a	46⅛	RCA .20c	9⅝
Chrysler3	78¼	Rep Stl 1	17
Colgate 1¼a	24¾	Schenley ½e	40¾
ComInvTr3	43¼	SearsR 3a	86½
ConwEd1.40	25¼	Socony-Vas ½	12
ConsEd1.60	21¾	SouPac2g	27
ContCan1	33⅜	SouRy 2g	22⅝
CrucStl 3g	29¼	Sperry 1¼g	25¾
Cub-Am8.40g	12¾	StdBrds .80g	29½
Curt-Wr ⅝g	5⅞	Std Oil In 1a	33¼
DelaHud	20⅞	StdOilNJ1a	54
DomeM h1.60	23⅝	Swift Intl 2	31¼
Farnsworth	12⅞	Texas Co 2	48½
ElP&L$7 pfd	87⅜	TwenC-Fox 2g	22¼
GenElec1.40	36⅝	UnionCar⅜g	81⅜
CenMot2	52⅜	UnitAirL ¼g	68½
GenStCof6g	86	Unit Airc 3g	23¼
oGodrich 2g	41¼	UnM&M2	28½
Goodyear ¼e	38	US Rub 1g	31
GtNRy pf 2g	27⅛	USSteel 1e	41
G M & O	81¼	Wab pfd 4½g	52
Homestake	43¼	Warn Bros	45
Houston Oil	27¾	WestUnA1⅛g	12¾
Int Harv 2a	72¼	Wilson&Co	42
IntNickCan 2	27⅝	Wlwth 1.60	8½
Int Paper	13¾	YgsS&T2	39
Int T & T	12⅛	Zenith 1g	36¾

Symbols. aAlso extra or extras. dCash or stock. gPaid last year. fPayable in stock. eDeclared or paid so far this year. hPayable in Canadian Funds. kAccumulated dividends, paid or declared this year. ††Ex-dividend. **Ex-rights. †Actual sales.

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES.

(Compiled by Dow-Jones.)

	High.	Low.	Close.	Change.
30 indus'ls	137.10	136.38	136.59	— .12
20 railroads	35.80	35.37	35.53	— .12
15 utilities	22.30	22.10	22.19	+ .01
65 stocks	48.15	47.80	47.95	— .06

(Compiled by the Associated Press.)

	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge
30 Indus	70.6	70.2	70.4	...
15 R. R.	24.7	24.3	24.5	—.1
15 Utilities	35.3	35.1	35.2	...
60 Total	50.4	50.0	50.2	...

U. S. TREASURY STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—The position of the Treasury Jan. 25: Receipts $138,282,554.80; expenditures $402,250,967.85; net balance $10,475,154,299.15; total debt $172,156,639,872.72.

ST. LOUIS STOCKS

ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE, Jan. 27.—Price changes were mixed in a rather light trade.

Dividends in Dollars.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net Ch'ge.
AmInv .60b	50	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	— ⅛
Falstaff .60	15	13	13	13	....
McQ-No2.50	100	43½	43½	43½	+2
Scruggs .50a	75	18½	18½	18½	—1½
WagEl .2b	15	32½	32½	32½	+ ⅜
Scul Stl 3e xx5	91	91	91	....	

a—Paid or declared in current fiscal year. b—Paid in last fiscal year. xx—000 omitted.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Closing quotations on securities whose bids or offers changed:

SECURITY.	Bid.	Offer.
Brown Shoe 2	....	43½
Coca-Cola Bott .25a	23	23½
Columbia Br .50a	11¾	....
Huss-Ligonier .60	6¾	7¼
Inter Shoe 1.80	35¾	36
Laclede Christy .50b	15¼	15½
Mo-Port Cem .75b	13⅜	15
Nat'l Candy .50a	33	34
Rice-Stix .50a	....	13½
Scruggs .50a	....	20
Sterl Al Pr 1b	9¼	9½
Wagner El .20	32	33
Scullin Steel 3a	90⅛	92

SOUTHERN PACIFIC EARNINGS

NEW YORK, Jan 27 (AP).—Taxes took a tremendous bite from the net operating income of one of the first large railroad concerns to report on its 1943 operations, Southern Pacific Transportation System showing taxes up nearly 50 millions at $126,719,000 and net operating income down despite a larger gross.

The system, excluding operations of solely controlled affiliated companies, reported a gross of $597,367,419 for 1943 against $472,748,816 in 1942. Operating expenses on the enlarged business were up $98,500,000 from 1942. Taxes rose $49,874,000.

Net operating income, as a result, was set at $77,242,817 against $102,501,810 the preceding year. Operating expenses for 1943 include an estimate of $12,768,229 for the general wage increase granted non-operating employes, applicable to the period February through December.

St. Louis Clearings.

Local bank clearings for Jan. 27 were $31,600,000; debits to individual accounts for Jan. 26 were $33,800,000.

COMMODITIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The Associated Press weighted wholesale price index of 35 commodities (1926 equals 100):

Thursday 106.60	Previous day 106.56

Commodity prices (cash unless otherwise stated) Thursday with previous close:

	Thursday.	Prev. Close.
COTTON, lb	.2091n	.209n
FLAXS', bu	3.05	3.05
WOOL TOP, lb	1.28n	1.28n
GRS. WOOL, lb	.96b	.96b
TURPENTINE, gal	.77¾	.77¾
ROSIN (B), cwt	3.50	3.50
LOCAL.		
BRAN, ton	$38.97@39.47	$38.97@39.47
xBUTTER, AA,lb.	.4120	.4120
*EGGS, cur.rec.doz	.33	.33
*SPR CHICK, lb	.274	.274
POTATOES, Ida.r.b. No. 1 cwt	3.50@.65	3.50@.60
APPLES,Mo-Ibus	3.25@.88	2.75@4.13
HOGS, top, cwt	13.70	13.70
HOGS, bulk, cwt	13.70	13.70
STEERS, top, cwt	15.00	15.60
STEERS, bulk, cwt	13@15	14@15.25
LAMBS, top, cwt	16.25	16.00
LAMBS, bulk, cwt	15.50@16.25	15.25@16.00
LINS'D OIL, raw, lb	.157	.157
OATS, bu s. g. white	.82¼	....
FLOUR, brd. fam. pat. cwt	3.76@4.21	3.76@4.21
†WOOL, lb	.42@.44	.42@.44

aAsked. bBid. nNominal. †Mc.-Ill. xOPA amximum less markup. *Base price receiver to shipper.

The followiug are "ceiling" prices announced by the Government: Lead, E. St. L., cwt., $6.35; zinc, E. St. L., cwt., $8.25; tin, bls. 52c; copper, lb., 12c; antimony, lb., 15¼c; crude oil Mid-Cont., bbl., $1.11; sugar, gran., lb., .056c; coffee, Santos 4s, lb., 13¾c; cocoa, lb., 9c; lard, loose, lb., 12c; bellies, lb., 15¼c; soy-

WEEKLY BANK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Bank clearings in the week ended Wednesday advanced slightly over the previous week but rose sharply above volume for the same period of last year, Dun & Bradstreet, Inc. reported today.

Transactions for 23 leading cities amounted to $9,556,283,000, up 29.8 per cent from $7,363,137,000 last year, and $323,436,000 higher than the previous week's turnover. St. Louis clearings were $168,651,000, an increase of 7.5 per cent from a year ago.

Bank of England Statement.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Weekly condition statement of the Bank of England for week ended Jan. 26 issued today reported a decrease of £128,000 in note circulation.

Decreases of £2,463,000 in public deposits and £2,604,000 in other securities was offset by increases of £10,483,000 in private deposits and £10,505,000 in Government securities.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liabilities this week was 13.4 per cent compared with 18.0 per cent the same week a year ago.

U. S. Steel Nest Egg.

NEW YORK Jan. 27 (AP).—The U. S. Steel Corporation has accumulated 75 million dollars to help it meet anticipated postwar expenses. The fund, boosted to its present level by 25 million from earnings in 1943 on top of similar amounts set aside in 1942 and 1941, has been put into Government securities as part of the Fourth War Loan drive.

GRAIN PRICES HOLD WITHIN NARROW RANGE

CHICAGO, Jan. 27 (AP).—Good rains over the winter wheat belt and announcement of higher subsidies for flour millers during February offset one another as price-making influences in grains today. The market held around yesterday's close most of the session, with trade light in all pits.

Local traders sold at the start of the moisture news, but the market showed a steady undertone and declines were moderate. As a result, traders took to the buying side and quotations advanced slightly above the previous close.

Wheat closed unchanged to ⅛ higher, May $1.71¼; oats were ¾ @ ½ higher, May 78¼; rye was up ¼ @ ⅝, May $1.31½ @ ¾, and barley was ¼ @ ½ higher, May $1.22¼.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Jan. 27.—No cash grain sales reported early today.

FUTURE GRAIN PRICES

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Jan. 27.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
WHEAT.				
ChiMay	171½	170½	171¼	170⅞
ChiJuly	168¾	167¾	168⅝	168¼ ⅜
ChiSept	168	167¼	167⅜	167⅝
ChiDec	168½	167¼	167⅜	167⅝ ¾
KCMay	162½	161½	162⅛	161⅝
KCJuly	160¼	159⅝	159⅞	159⅝
KCSept	159¾	159	159¾	159⅝
MinMay	161⅞	161⅛	161⅞	161⅝
MinJuly	160¼	159½	160¼	160
MinSept	159⅛	159⅛	159¾	159½
RYE.				
ChiMay	131⅞	130⅛	131½ ⅜	130⅝ 31
ChiJuly	130¼	128½	129¾ ⅞	129⅛ ¼
ChiSept	128¾	126⅝	128-27⅞	127⅝ ½
ChiDec	128¾	127½	128¼	128
OATS.				
ChiMay	78⅝	77½	78¼	77¾b
ChiJuly	76¾	76	76¼	76⅛b
ChiSept	74⅝	74¼	74⅝b	74¼a
MinnMay	76¾	75¼	76⅝	75½
BARLEY.				
ChiMay	122½	122¼	122¼b	122b
ChiJuly	....	....	120⅝b	120⅜b
ChiSept	....	....	118⅝b	118⅜b

Opening prices at Chicago were: Wheat—May, $1.70¾; July, $1.68@1.67⅞; September, $1.67¾@¼; December, $1.67⅛. Oats—May, 77¼@⅝c; July, 76@¼c; September, 74½c. Rye—May, $1.30⅝@¼; July, $1.28½@¾; September, $1.27⅛@1.28⅝; December, $1.27½. Barley—May, $1.22½; July, $1.20⅝.

TRADE AND HEDGE BUYING GIVE FIRMNESS TO COTTON

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Cotton prices advanced today on trade buying and hedge lifting against textile contracts.

Additional buoyancy was derived from the anticipated purchase of 332,000 bales of cotton in the open market by the P. S. C. C. for lend-lease shipment. Hedge selling against larger sales in Southern spot markets furnished the contracts.

Futures closed 40 to 55 cents a bale higher.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Change.
Mar.	20.06	20.15	20.05	20.15	*11
May	19.73	19.83	19.72	19.82	*11
July	19.40	19.49	19.40	19.48@49	* 9
†Oct.	19.02	19.11	19.02	19.09n	* 8
†Dec.	18.90	18.93	18.88	18.93n	* 9

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CARLOADINGS UP 2.2 PCT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 (AP).—The Association of American Railroads reported today that 798,722 cars of revenue freight were loaded during the week ending last Saturday.

This was an increase of 18,505 cars, or 2.2 per cent, compared with the preceding week; an increase of 95,428 cars, or 13.6 per cent, compared with the corresponding week a year ago, and a decrease of 19,350 cars, or 2.4 per cent, compared with two years ago.

The report classified the loadings, compared with previous week and the corresponding week a year ago, as follows:

	Last Week.	Prec. Week.	Year Ago.
Miscellaneous freight	367,389	*11,229	*31,839
Less-than-car-lot mdse.	101,009	* 2,122	*16,479
Coal	182,165	— 1,721	*18,119
Grain and grain products	58,857	* 1,415	*13,573

*Increase; —decrease.

Local Roads' Loadings.

Carloadings of the four railroads centering in St. Louis—Frisco, Wabash, Missouri-Kansas-Texas and Missouri Pacific—aggregated 87,718 cars in the week ended Jan. 22. This was an increase of 7394 cars over the preceding week and 12,653 over the corresponding week last year.

DIVIDEND DECLARATIONS

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—The American Tobacco Co. extra 25 cents and regular quarterly 75 cents on common and common "B" stock, both payable March 1.

Canada Dry Ginger Ale, Inc., 25 cents, payable March 9.

Austin Nichols & Co., Inc., $1.50 on account of arrears on prior "A" stock payable March 10.

Merritt-Chapman & Scott Corp. $1.62½ on 6½ per cent preferred "A" in arrears payable March 10.

The United Gas Corp. $3.50 on $7 preferred stock in arrears payable March 1.

United States Pipe & Foundry Co. declared four quarterly dividends of 40 cents on common for 1944, payable March 20, June 20, Sept. 20 and Dec. 2.

EGG AND POULTRY MARKET

ST. LOUIS BUTTER, EGG AND POULTRY EXCHANGE.—Jan. 27.—The Egg and Poultry Markets are reported by the "St. Louis Daily Market Reporter" as follows:

EGGS—Base prices receivers to shippers: U. S. specials, 39c; U. S. extras, 37c; U. S. standards, 35c; current receipts, 33c; pullets, 25@27c.

POULTRY—Base prices receivers to shippers: Fowls, 23.9c; leghorns, 21.5c; springs, 4 lbs. and over, rocks 27.4c, colored 27.4c; No. 2 12@15c; fryers, 3-4 lbs., rocks 27.4c; colored 27.4c; No. 2 12@15c; broilers, under 3 lbs., rocks 27.4c, colored 27.4c; leghorn, 3 lbs. and under, 27.4c; leghorns over 2 lbs. 23c; No. 2 12@15c; black chickens 17c, roosters, old and leghorn stags, 19c; staggy young roosters, 19.9c; ducks, white 22c; dark, 22c; muscovys, 18c; geese, young 24.9c; old turkeys, under 18 lbs., 32.9c; 15-22 lbs., 31.4c; over 22 lbs., 30.4c; young turkeys, under 18 lbs., 34.9c; 18-22 lbs., 33.4c; over 22 lbs., 32.4c; No. 2 turkeys, 22c; young guineas, 45c; old, 20c; capons, 6 lbs. and over, 30.9c; under 6 lbs. 27.4c; dressed squabs, 60@65c per lb.; rabbits $3 per doz net to shipper for No. 1, No. 2 and kits, $1.50.

VEALS AND LAMBS.

Lamb and veal quotations on the St. Louis market as reported by the "St. Louis Daily Market Reporter" follow:

VEALS—Strictly choice, $15.25; fair to good, $12.75@14; common and medium, $11.25@12; rough and underfed, $9@9.75.

LAMBS — Good to choice, $15.50@16.25; medium, $13.25@15; common, $10.75@11.75; slaughter ewes $6.75@7.50.

BUTTERFAT.

Butter—Base prices del. St. Louis in cariots: Grade AA (93 score), .4120; Grade A (92 score), .4070; Grade B (90 score), .4045; Grade C (89 score), .3995; U. S. cooking, .3870; no grade, .3470.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Foreign exchange rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents): Canadian dollar in New York open market 10 3-16 per cent discount, or $9.81¼. U. S. cents: Great Britain, official, buying $4.02, selling $4.04; Argentina, free 25.20; Brazil, free 5.20n; Mexico, 20.65n.

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Construction Awards.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Engineering construction awards this week amounted to $33,241,000, compared with $25,500,000 in the preceding week and $41,855,000 in the like period of 1943, said the Engineering News-Record.

UNIT QUOTATIONS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP).—Unit quotations as furnished by the National Association of Security Dealers:

EARLY QUOTATIONS.

Affiliat F Inc	3.28	MassInvestTr	20.38
Am Bus Shrs	3.30	Do2dFdInc	9.98
Bullock Fund	14.53	Mutualinvest	10.34
Can Inv Fund	3.05	Natilnvestors	6.84
Cent Shrs Tr	27.35	NatSecSInc8er	4.36
Corporate Tr	2.34	NSecSLPBd8er	6.27
Do AA	2.17	NewEng Fund	11.98
Do Accum	2.17	NYStocks Steel	5.70
Do AA mod	2.60	NorAmTrSh'53	2.00
Do Acc mod	2.60	Do '55	2.61
Cumul Tr Sh	4.54	Do '56	2.52
DiversifiedTrC	3.50	Do '58	2.19
Do D	5.35	QuarIncSh	6.25
Dividend Shrs	1.17	RepInvFund	3.25
FundInvesInc	20.98	SelAmShInc	9.20
IncFoundFd	1.39	SupofAmTrAA	2.29
Incorp Inves	20.00	TrusIndShrs	.71
Knickerb Fund	5.84	USEL&P"A"	15.80
ManhatBondFd	8.44	Do "B"	1.65
MarylandFund	4.24	WellingtFund	15.86

10-YEAR ASSAULT SENTENCE

Julius Sanders, 31 years old, a Negro, of 1014 Franklin avenue, charged with assaulting a white woman, was found guilty yesterday by a jury in the court of Circuit Judge James E. McLaughlin, which fixed his punishment at 10 years in prison. The woman, 49 years old, testified that Sanders broke into her apartment Feb. 27, 1942, while her husband was away from home at work.

This was the second trial for Sanders, the first, in the fall of 1942, resulting in a hung jury.

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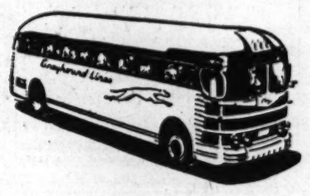
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A Shy Soul

They Often Mistake M'Evoy for Garbo

By J. P. M'Evoy

Dear Mr. McEvoy:

I HAVE been reading you for some time. I don't know much about writing so I don't know whether you're any good or not, but there's one thing about you that sticks out like a wart on grandpa's nose and that is your self-confidence. It seems like there is nothing too big or too small for you to tackle and you say everything as though that was the last word. Do you really think you know as much as you say you do? Or are you just putting it on, and if so, how do you get that way?



Now I have no self-confidence at all and I feel pretty bad about it. I would give anything for a little of your cheek. Were you born that way or did you learn it? I cannot tell you how hard it is for me to bring my courage up to the point of writing you this letter but I need help and if you ain't the man then I'm a lost soul. TIMID.

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Dear Tim:

YOUR TROUBLES are over. It was sheer genius for you to pick me out of all the world to help you. I know just how you feel because I feel that way myself. For years I have outraged more hostesses, gummed up more dinner parties, wrecked more receptions, and broken more girlish hearts by saying the right thing at the wrong time than you and your whole family combined. And guess what people were saying about me all the time? That I was bold? That I had more cheek! Seems to me you said something like that yourself.

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WELL, I DECIDED to do something about it and since I couldn't write to this fellow McEvoy whom you seem to admire so much, I went into a huddle with myself and came out with an inspiration. I would be myself. Naturally a timid soul, I would stop trying to be bold and overbearing. From that day on I went around being timid and it has been a great success.

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FORMERLY WHEN in mixed company—and how mixed company can get I will leave you to imagine—often I found myself with nothing to say and on such occasions I spoke very loud and very fast. After I had seen the light I never opened my trap in public and people soon began to whisper about me. The strong silent type, they said. Deep. And such confidence. You can just feel it oozing out of him.

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IT WAS AN EASY step from that to writing. Writing takes less courage than anything in the world. You never face anybody. I always write at night with the shades drawn, the doors locked and the house entirely surrounded by bloodhounds. I put the manuscript in a plain envelope and have it carried to a distant village by a small boy on a bicycle. Even when the editors get it they don't know who it's from and care less. In this way I have survived more than 30 years of crabbing at everybody and everything.

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YOU THINK I'M fearless? Hah! The fact is I never go out without my disguise. Out in Hollywood this has caused me considerable trouble. Crowds often mistake me for Garbo. This is quite natural as we have very much in common. She, too, is timid, but slightly taller.

I could tell you a few more of my secrets, but this should be enough to change your whole life. And don't blame me if it does.

Cautiously,

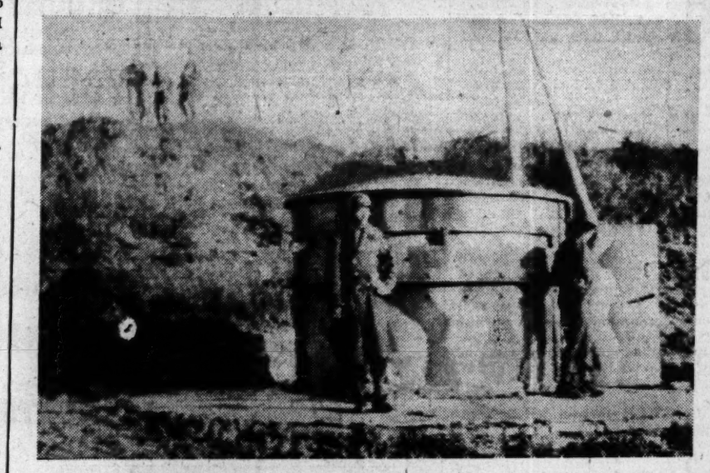
J. P. McEVOY.



"REMEMBER WHAT I TOLD YOU, MRS. TYSON, NEVER GET EXCITED!"

OPENING NEW FRONT IN ITALY





American troops, carrying bedrolls, marching through the coastal town of Anzio, south of Rome, on their way to reinforce Fifth Army forces which landed behind Nazi lines Saturday. Anzio is close to Nettuno, another port city taken in the early phases of the operation.
—Associated Press Wirephoto from "Stars and Stripes."

United States military policemen guarding a German pillbox captured on the Nettuno beachhead, which Allied forces seized with little opposition.
—Associated Press Wirephoto via U. S. Army Signal Corps Radio.

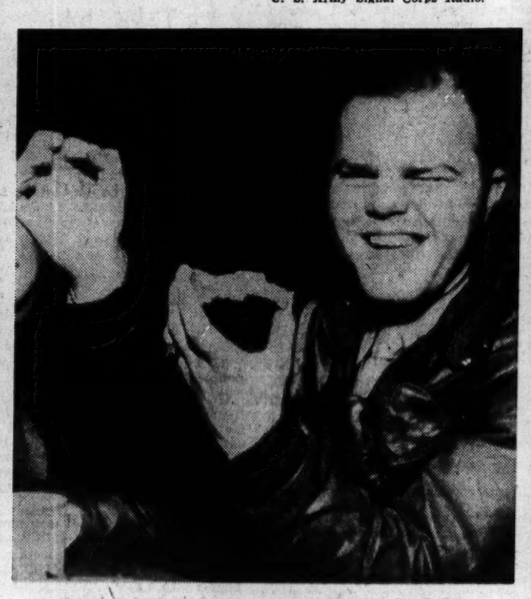


TREETOP LANDING Ropes and ladders were necessary to rescue the pilot of this light training plane after it crashed into the treetops on a hill near Egremont, Mass., yesterday. Brought down from his 50-foot perch, the pilot, a student flyer, was found to be uninjured. —Associated Press Wirephoto.



WIFE GETS FLYER'S MEDAL

Mrs. Virginia Elliot receiving the Air Medal awarded her husband, Capt. Dana Elliot, who is missing in action, from Col. John P. Temple at a Scott Field ceremony yesterday. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. August P. Munsch, 5115 Page boulevard. —AAFTC Photo.



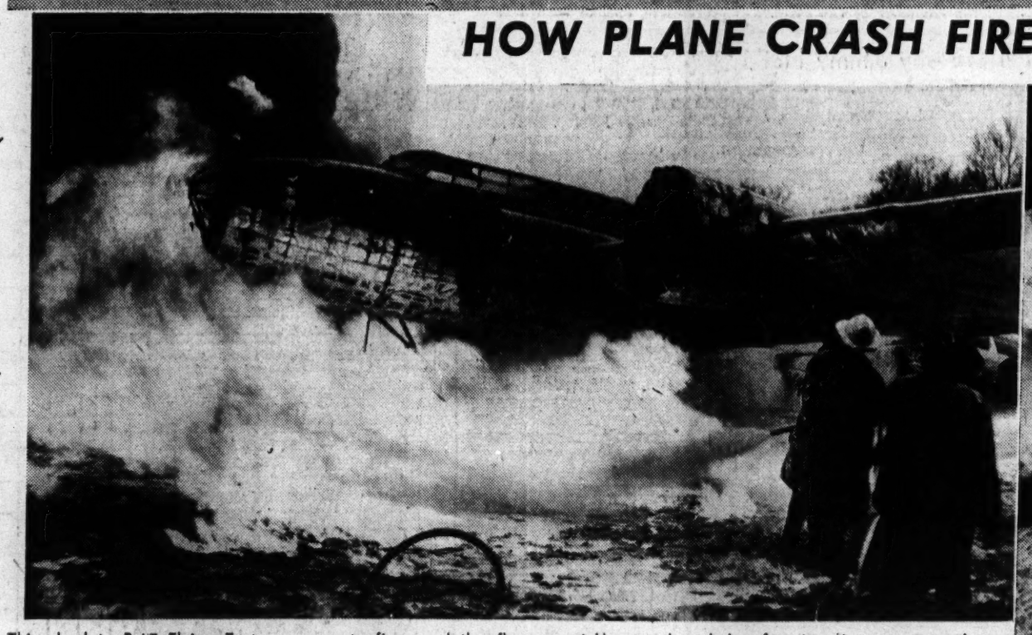
ST. LOUISAN AFTER RAID

Lt. Norman Laux of St. Louis, co-pilot of the Flying Fortress Texas Glad, indicates his pleasure over encountering neither fighter opposition nor flak in a Jan. 14 mission against the French coast. Laux, pictured at his British base, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Laux, 3179 Nebraska avenue. He is 25 years old. —Associated Press Wirephoto.



AS ARGENTINA BROKE WITH AXIS Gen. Pedro Ramirez (seated), President of Argentina, addressing his nation by radio yesterday, reporting the break in diplomatic relations with the Axis. Argentina was the last of the 21 American republics to sever ties with Germany and Japan. The picture was radioed from Buenos Aires. —Associated Press Wirephoto.

HOW PLANE CRASH FIRES ARE FOUGHT



This obsolete B-17 Flying Fortress was set afire—and the flames quickly smothered by foamite—in a spectacular demonstration of new methods in extinguishing airplane crash fires and rescuing personnel at Scott Field today. The show, in which another B-17 and two smaller planes, stripped of all material that could be salvaged, were used, was put on by the Scott Field fire department, equipped with special trucks and chemicals, as part of an eight-day crash fire-fighting school.



Firemen in asbestos suits, under cover of a chemical spray, pull a dummy "pilot" from a burning AT-10 plane. The fire was put out in about three minutes. A new type Cardox airport fire truck figured in the demonstration at the Army Air Forces Training Command radio school. —By a Post-Dispatch photographer.

BROADWAY

By WALTER WINCHELL

Man About Town

A UNITED States Senator (his name must be omitted now) is expected to marry an important State Dep't official within a month. He's on the front pages often, a pro-Roosevelter. . . . Their chums believe the C. B. S. Paul Whites are dividing, although Mrs. White (now in Florida) says nh-nh. . . . As stated here before, Gov. Dewey is definitely a presidential candidate. His men are seeing various Governors to arrange deals. . . . Juanita Juarez, the dancer, became Mrs. H. D. Smith at Fort Lauderdale on the 20th. . . . His pals say John Steinbeck claims his "Lifeboat" script was "horribly distorted" (full of Nazi propaganda, etc.) and he is sore about it. . . . Quite a scandal at the fashionable Mt. Tremblant Lodge when a Countess was slapped for making "remarks." . . . Deanna Durbin, according to Hollywoodites, thinks Dick Powell is a darling, which is supposedly why Joan Blondell offered to step aside.

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A SOLDIER (carrying an enormous laundry bag) walked into Tiffany's. He received no attention whatever—all assumed he was in the wrong place. He looked worn, his clothes didn't fit too well, an unimpressive fellow. . . . He was shunted to the small-priced dep't, where he had difficulty convincing the salesmen that he wished to buy something "more expensive." . . . He finally selected a bracelet at $5000 and wrote out a check. . . . The clerk was sorry—he'd have to send the check to the bank "for certification." . . . Then he looked at the signature. . . . Carl Laemmle Jr.—who had suddenly recalled his sister's birthday!

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ERROL FLYNN'S ex-wife, Lili Damita, has found a new interest in life. He is Lt. Terry Klyne. . . . Pola Negri is feuding with Louella Parsons over the comment about Pola in "The Gay Illiterate." . . . El Morocco told two of its best known patrons not to come there any more. . . . Jane Pickens' new romance in Boston is a super-spectacular scion. . . . The trial of F. H. Wright, New York newspaper man (accused of being a Jap agent), has again been deferred—until March. . . . It's a boy for the Capt. Stuart McCullums in Emporia, Kansas. She was "Lovey" Warren of the girl shows. . . . Pan-American has engaged the prettiest hostesses of all—to replace stewards on planes. . . . Has anyone pointed out the tragic coincidence—that Clare Boothe Luce's mother was also killed in a car crash years ago?

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ONE NIGHT last November in the Stork Club, H. T. Ewald (the ad agency man) asserted that Amos 'n' Andy's new radio program would top all the comedy ratings by Jan. 1, 1944. . . . Dan Golenpaul (producer of "Information, Please") was skeptical. . . . "I'll bet $1000 on it!" said Mr. Ewald, who knows more about American radio tastes than most people. . . . "Okay," said Dan, "loser to pay to the USO." . . . Mr. Ewald's $1000 check is being relayed by this col'm.

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JOCK WHITNEY'S theatrical investments received a jolt. A noted actor who allegedly used some of the coin to play the horses has been fired. . . . "Something for the Boys" showed a profit of only $128 on its first road date. . . . When L. B. Mayer (the giant of MGM) visited the Cops, Jimmy Durante cracked: "I gotta be good. There's a talent scout in the house." . . . "Winged Victory" now has 12 units (made up of the show's members) to entertain various nearby hospital bases, camps. . . . Connie Bennett will do a syndicated col'm on fashions. . . . There may be a farmer strike—milk firms lining up against them. . . . Lt. Tom Harmon was severely burned about the legs and face in his last fight when a Jap bomb sent him down in flames. But the bomb didn't explode. . . . The Tom Ferrises are threeing. . . . Honeychile Wilder and her Argentine feller have cremated it.

Social Problems

By Emily Post

BEFORE the war I might have been inclined to agree with the grandfather who writes me: "My wife and I are rearing a pair of granddaughters in their early teens. When we call them, if they don't answer "what!" then they give us a plain unadulterated yes or no. They say that it's what everyone says these days, and I must admit that I don't hear anything more polite from their companions. Please advise if the old courtesies of yesterday have gone while I was busy earning a living."

Curious as it may seem to you, and to many others, there is at this moment a perfectly extraordinary interest in manners. It became noticeable when the men in the Army began waking up to the importance of the very courtesies that your grandchildren are thinking unimportant.

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I AM very grateful to my clergymen readers for their response to my appeal for their views on the question of whether an Army officer should uncover at his wedding when the ceremony takes place out-of-doors. At the time I wrote on this subject I quoted the personal view of a high-ranking Army officer who said that an officer should remain covered. The general opinion of the church has been expressed with unusual clarity in this letter from a notable Episcopal clergyman:

"As in the case of the Army, the church has no explicit written ceremonial directions covering this question. What I have to offer, therefore, is only my opinion based on some 30 odd years' experience as a priest and an interested student of liturgical principles. Outdoor weddings are rather the exception than the rule. This makes it harder to say just how far custom and precedent have determined the practice.

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"OF COURSE, the sacrament of Holy Matrimony is one which affects the bride and groom alone, the others present being merely witnesses, I would suggest, therefore, that the groom, if an officer, present himself for marriage in hat and gloves; but that he remove both immediately before the commencement of the ceremony. He could hand them to the best man to hold for him. Surely instinctive reverence and a sense of fitness would prompt the officer to remove his gloves before placing the ring on the bride's finger and taking her hand in his in token of marriage.

"I should think, too, that similar feelings should induce him to remove his hat before receiving the blessing of Holy Church on his marriage. Obviously the final authority in the matter of ceremonial at a church wedding is the officiating clergyman. Therefore, in the absence of any explicit Army regulations to the contrary, the bridegroom should follow the clergyman's directions."

Economical Menus for Tomorrow

By Meta Given

A DELICATE dessert made from sweet potatoes is not just some imaginary fluff. It is a dinner or luncheon finale that would be very acceptable variety even on a warm spring day. It is cold, quivery, sweet, has even a Creole flavor of orange and ginger. And, the best thing about it, the ingredients are available anywhere

Sweet Potato—Orange Dessert.

One package orange gelatin, two tablespoons sugar, dash salt, three-fourths cup cooked mashed sweet potato, one-half teaspoon ground cinnamon, one-sixteenth teaspoon ground ginger, one-fourth cup chopped pecans, two egg whites, beaten stiff, one tablespoon sugar, one-fourth teaspoon grated orange rind, dash salt.

Prepare gelatin according to directions on package, and add two tablespoons sugar, and salt. Pour three-fourths cup of this mixture into a separate bowl and set both parts into the refrigerator to become slightly firm. Mix sweet potato and spices and add to the larger amount of gelatin mixture, and pour into custard cups. Add the nuts. Whip the remaining gelatin until light and foamy and fold in the egg whites and remaining ingredients. Pile this mixture on top of the sweet potato gelatin. Chill until firm, before serving. A custard sauce may be made, using the remaining egg yolks. Four servings.

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MENUS FOR FRIDAY.

Breakfast.

Orange juice, six oranges; ready-to-eat cereal, four generous servings; griddle cakes, sift all-purpose flour, measure two cups, resift with two tablespoons baking powder, two teaspoons salt, two tablespoons sugar. Combine two well-beaten eggs with one and three-fourths cup milk, one-half cup shortening, melted, and add to dry ingredients. Beat with rotary beater until smooth. Drain, chop one cup home-canned peaches and mix. Pour onto medium hot griddle, bake until under side is brown, and bubbles appear on top, turn and bake until second side is browned. Serve hot with peach syrup. Bacon, one pound. Use one-third pound.

Luncheon.

Cream of pea soup, dehydrated or canned; fried egg sandwiches, four eggs, eight slices enriched bread; fresh pears, four; caramel cup cakes, four bought.

Dinner.

Pork liver rolls, one and one-half pounds pork liver; have liver sliced about one-half inch thick, remove skin and tubes and cut into four pieces. Saute one-fourth pound fresh mushrooms (cleaned and sliced) with one large onion (sliced), until soft, in two tablespoons bacon drippings, combine with two cups fresh bread crumbs and pinch of cayenne. Put part of dressing on each slice of liver, roll up, tie with white twine. Brown rolls quickly on all sides in bacon fat, about one minute. Lift into casserole, add one cup milk, one teaspoon salt. Cover and simmer in moderate oven 25 to 30 minutes. Creamed potatoes, two pounds potatoes, two cups seasoned medium white sauce; buttered broccoli, one bunch broccoli, butter or margarine, seasonings; rye bread, eight slices; sweet potato-orange dessert, see recipe above; butter or fortified margarine used on all breads. Include in today's menus, milk to drink: six cups for children, two cups for adults. Beverages for adults as desired.

The Art of Home Baking

By Mrs. Alexander George



OATMEAL BREAD—LIKE GRANDMA USED TO MAKE.

HOMEMAKERS, including a flock of newlyweds, are doing much of their own baking this winter.

Limited food budgets and the acute shortage of domestic help have sent many housewives back to the kitchen to test their baking talents. With the help of grandmother's precious old recipes they are turning out delectable home-made breads, coffee rings and other prize products of the oven.

A batch of yeast dough works magic in the form of rolls, spicy-topped coffee ring or raisin-fill cinnamon buns. Your boy at camp would welcome a pan of sugary cinnamon buns—our son reported they made the biggest hit of any of the goodies sent to him.

Cranberry or Mincemeat Filled Roll is something new and especially appetizing for winter serving. It is good served warm or cold. Soak a cake of compressed yeast for 10 minutes in two tablespoons lukewarm water. Scald a cup of milk and add two tablespoons shortening. Cool to lukewarm and pour into the yeast. Add one-fourth cup sugar, one-half teaspoon salt, one teaspoon grated orange rind, an egg, beaten, and three and one-half cups flour. Mix thoroughly. Shape into a ball in a greased bowl and grease top of soft dough to keep a crust from forming. Cover tightly and let rise until doubled in bulk—this takes about three hours in room of moderate temperature. Roll out half the dough on a floured board and spread with any preferred filling. Roll up and fit into greased loaf pan. Let rise until doubled in size (about three hours). Bake 35 minutes in moderate oven. Serve warm or cold.

Place rest of dough in a greased bowl. Cover and store in the coldest part of refrigerator and use up within two or three days. This dough can be made into rolls or cinnamon sticks or buns.

Oatmeal Bread: Two cups quick oats, one pint boiling water, one-half cup brown sugar or molasses, one-half cup cold milk, two yeast cakes, five and one-half to six cups enriched all-purpose flour, two tablespoons salt, two tablespoons vitamized margarine melted.

Place oats in bowl and pour boiling water over them. Add one-fourth cup brown sugar or molasses and the milk. When mixture is only warm, crumble in yeast cake. Sift and measure two cups flour, add and beat smooth. Let stand in warm place until light and bubbly. Stir in salt, melted margarine and the other one-fourth cup brown sugar or molasses.

Sift, measure and add three and one-half to four cups flour. Knead until smooth, cover closely or grease top. Let stand until double in bulk. Punch down. When light again, form into two loaves. Place in well-greased pan. Brush tops with melted margarine and sprinkle quick oats over top of loaf.

Let stand until double in bulk. Bake. Remove from pan at once. Bake at 375 degrees for 55 to 60 minutes. Makes two medium loaves.

For a Cranberry Filling, lightly spread the dough with soft margarine or butter and cover with a half-inch layer of thick cranberry sauce or cranberry jelly—plain or with a few nuts or raisins added. Roll up quickly and bake as suggested. To make **Mincemeat-Fruit Filling,** blend a cup each chopped apples and mincemeat, one-fourth cup raisins and one-eighth teaspoon cinnamon. Spread on the soft dough and roll up. If individual rolls are desired, cut off half inch slices, arrange on greased shallow pan and let rise until doubled in size (about an hour). Bake 15 minutes in moderate oven.

Take My Word for It

By Frank Colby

PREMIER—PREMIERE

PREMIER and premiere are from the French, and in that language they are respectfully the masculine and feminine forms of the word meaning "first; foremost; the chief principal." The masculine form, premier, is now considered as English. The American pronunciation is, first choice: PREE-mee-yer; second choice: pree-MEER. The customary British pronunciation is: PREM-yer. The French say: prum-YAY.

On the other hand, the feminine form, premiere, is still considered to be French. We use it in two senses: (1) a leading lady in a theatrical group (rare, however), and (2) the opening night of a theatrical production, as a "Hollywood premiere."

At first, Hollywood pronounced premiere as "pruh-MEER." This error was pointed out in this column several times, so Hollywood began to say "PREE-mee-er," which is equally incorrect.

I feel sure that people in pictures want to use the correct pronunciation, which is prum-YAIR. But I do not ask them to take my word for it this time. Instead, refer to Webster's New International, Winston's, Macmillan's, or Funk and Wagnalls', all of which show only prum-YAIR. But, and this is important, be sure that you look up premiere, spelled with a final "e."

Your Stars -o- By Marion Drew

WHAT TO EXPECT TOMORROW.

Sun in Aquarius.

General Tendencies—Beginning tomorrow there is a sensitive point hovering about emotional affairs. Do not expect too much of new friends and forgive any slighting remarks which you may intercept. Look forward to more settled domestic conditions after the first of next month, and in the meantime, occupy yourself with business detail as much as possible.

If Tomorrow Is Your Birthday.

The next 12 months should show you a thing or two about friendship or romance, whether you be young or old. You seem to have important experiences of this type in late April and again throughout September and October. The best way to deal with unruly emotions is to let them cool off for 24 hours before making decisions.

Tomorrow's Watchword.

Friendship is the topic for the day's concentration. In ancient times, Buddha said, "The sight of true friends affords joy. To live with them is happiness. Therefore, attach thyself to the wise, to the intelligent, the learned, the meek, and live always as the moon in the company of the stars."

Italian Spaghetti

One seven-ounce package spaghetti, three tablespoons bacon fat, one-fourth pound chopped beef, one medium onion, sliced, two tablespoons flour, one and one-fourth cup cooked tomatoes, three-fourths teaspoon salt, one-half teaspoon sugar, pepper, one-fourth cup chopped green pepper, one-fourth cup grated cheese.

Cook spaghetti in boiling salted water until tender. Meanwhile lightly cook the beef and onion in the hot fat, scrape to one side of the skillet and add flour to the fat, stir over medium heat until flour and fat are blended and browned (do not burn). Gradually add the tomatoes, stirring until all ingredients are blended and mixture is thickened. Add remaining ingredients, simmer for five minutes. Pour the hot sauce over hot drained spaghetti, sprinkle with cheese and serve. Four servings.

Dried vegetables were used during the Civil War to prevent scurvy.

The average person in the United States eats about 17 pounds of butter every year in normal times, but the 1943 average is expected to be just above 13 pounds.

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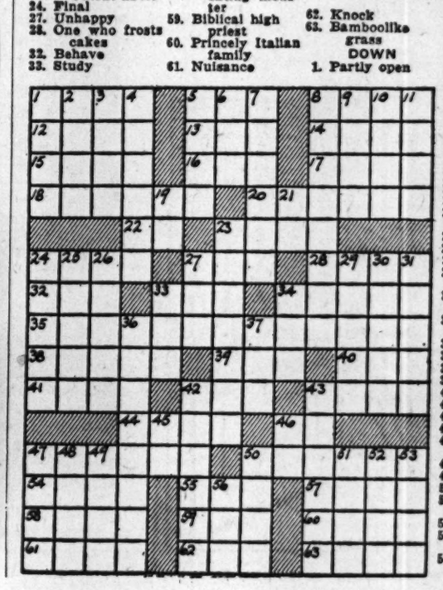
Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Leaning to one side
5. Lawless crowd
9. Prison
12. Kind of coffee
13. Sin
14. English composer
15. Diffused
16. Beverage
17. Pastries
18. Revoke at cards
20. Color
22. Negative
23. State of the Union: abbr.
24. Final
27. Unhappy
28. One who frosts cakes
32. Behave
33. Study
34. Keen
35. Streets
38. Ancient Spartan slave
39. Allow
40. Anger
41. Paradise
42. Number
43. Custom
44. Performs
46. Conjunction
47. Building material
50. Cogitates
54. East Indian vine
55. Pronoun
57. Labor
58. Mythical man-eating monster
59. Biblical high priest
60. Princely Italian family
61. Nuisance
62. Knock
63. Bamboolike grass

DOWN

1. Partly open
2. Narrow road
3. Heated compartment
4. Obvious
5. Measure
6. Seaweed
7. Defied
8. Flowering shrub
9. Seed covering
10. Arrow poison
11. For fear that
19. Leave
21. At home
22. Snarls
24. Turning machine
25. Pained
26. Neckpiece
27. French coin
29. Object of brie-a-brac
30. Everlasting: poetic
31. Put into type again
33. Light bed
34. Astern
36. Short poem
37. Domestic fowl
43. Fasten
43. Scribe
45. Ahead
46. Exclamation
47. Chicken enclosure
48. Margin
49. Planet
50. Stumble
51. Olfactory organ
52. Bird of prey
53. Vehicle on runners
56. Old musical note



Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

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My OPINION

By MARTHA CARR

Dear Martha Carr:

I AM a teen-age girl and go with a boy a little older. He doesn't believe me when I say I like him and thinks I go with him just to be going out. He seems very sincere when he tells me he likes me and since I believe him I see no reason why he shouldn't believe me. We go steady now, but he used to go with another girl who played around with other fellows though supposedly going steady with him, and he seems to be afraid this will happen to us. I know I am too young to really love anyone but he is the only one I care about going out with. What can I do to make him believe me? He is swell, except about this one thing.

CHARLOTTE.

Letters intended for this column must be addressed to Martha Carr at the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. Mrs. Carr will answer all questions of general interest, but of course, cannot give advice on matters of a purely legal or medical nature. Those who do not care to have their letters published may enclose an addressed and stamped envelope for personal reply.

Evidently having one girl break faith with him was too much for your boy friend. He has decided to distrust all "women" from now on. This is the wrong attitude and he should snap out of it in justice to you. However, in justice to both of you, you are getting too serious for a boy and girl still in their teens.

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Dear Martha Carr:

I AM A GIRL, age 19, and go with a boy four years older. We have been going together for three years steady. My friends make fun of him because he doesn't like dancing and say he's an old man. I like to dance so much and they tell me I should throw him over and find me another boy friend. We were engaged once and broke it, are now engaged again. The trouble is my people. They have a cold feeling toward him because he is not in the Service. Shall I please my family or please myself and go on and marry him?

UNDECIDED GIRL.

Not to marry a man because he doesn't dance is slightly on the ridiculous side. Learn to play chess instead and like it! But not to marry a man because your parents disapprove of him can sometimes be a good idea, that is if their reasons are well founded. If their only reason is that the fellow is not in the Service through no fault of his own, or because he is engaged in war work or a vital industry instead of active fighting, their prejudices will have to be overcome. You are only nineteen and can afford to wait a while till you can convince them they are unfair to your fiance. It always makes for better feeling not to marry in direct opposition to parents' wishes.

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Dear Martha Carr:

I AM A GIRL 16, in love with a boy 17 and I think he was in love with me, perhaps still is. I've met and gone out with a lot of boys but, have never been jealous till I met this one. He's jealous of me, too. If a boy as much as says hello, or one I know comes and sits beside me this boy blows up. But he calls other girls pet names and doesn't think I should mind at all. So now all we say to each other is "hello" and go on. Sometimes he has asked me to meet him and then he doesn't turn up. What can I do to get him to love me like I do him?

SHORTY.

It may be this boy is smart enough to realize that you two are bad medicine for each other, and has decided to call it quits. If each of you is going to rave and rant when the other as much as looks at or speaks to someone else, you will only make each other thoroughly miserable and there is no joy to be had in endless quarrels. The boy shouldn't suggest a date and then stand you up. Stay away from each other until you both learn to control your jealousy, and knowing that this has wrecked one friendship should teach each of you a lesson.

My Day -o- By Eleanor Roosevelt

DETROIT, Wednesday.

TODAY I want to tell you a story and reprint a poem. The girl to whom the poem was written became engaged on Nov. 13, 1942, to young Lieut. S. J. Wright. He had majored in English at Dartmouth, where his father is a professor of philosophy, and he wanted to make writing his career. Instead, the day after graduation in May, 1942, he went into the Marine Corps and, after training in Quantico, was on his way to the South Pacific. Early this past fall the poem arrived inclosed in a letter to his girl. This poem represents the one fulfillment of his life's ambition. He was killed Nov. 13, 1943, in action while attempting to knock out an enemy position so his men could advance. To explain the last line of the poem, he wrote in his letter:

"This is for you, as you can plainly see, and so I want you to like it and understand it. That won't be difficult (the understanding)—until perhaps the last word which you may neither like nor understand. Selfishness in itself is not necessarily bad—it is too human for that. You would quickly say that our greatest want (or selfishness) is to be together again. Yet if you think, you'll realize even that selfishness is subordinate to the reason for fighting this war. But we feel, and here we constantly do, that some great good must come from this. Which is why I am here and you're there. Maybe you like it better this way; although our selfishness (yours and mine) is undeniably uppermost in our hearts, we make an effort to keep it secondary in our minds. Do you see that compared to the fight it is selfishness?"

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THE POEM, WHICH I reprint by permission of the Ladies Home Journal:

A MARINE TO HIS GIRL.

From the damp of my foxhole, each night,
Up through the restless, worrying jungle
Into the heaven's shimmering light,
I lean my weight to the emptiness,
And reach strong over the ocean's arc,
Groping with care to where you are.
Into your windows where the dark
Cold wind swirls and cries your loneliness.

Tenderly, tenderly I hold your love,
Achingly kiss your sweet soft lips,
But briefly, I am torn apart and above
And back to this island's positiveness.

These nights, as through that window
You pray for the moment when something
More than my spirit returns, deeply know:
Tomorrow must be greater than our selfishness.

A challenge to us, that last line!

New Ideas On Caring For Teeth

By Logan Clendening, M. D.

THE wise old women used to warn that the youngest child had the poorest teeth. That fitted in with the general idea that the youngest was the runt of the family, the weakest, physically and mentally, the scrapings of the pot.

Modern nutrition has made a revision in these age-old ideas. Dr. Harold Beck, of Boston, has made a statistical study which proves that the youngest child has just as good teeth as the others provided the mother gets a good prenatal diet with plenty of calcium.

He studied 198 five year old children, 106 being first born and 92 fourth born. The difference in the number of decayed teeth was negligible, a difference of less than two decayed teeth was found between the first born and later born children.

Through an adequate diet the mother can furnish a sufficient calcium reserve to carry the infant through the first 10-month, or shock, period of life.

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DR. BECK FOUND that 64 per cent of the mothers of children having good teeth drank three or four glasses of milk daily during the expectant period. Milk furnishes the calcium reserve mentioned above.

Furthermore poor calcification of teeth results from lack of Vitamin D; children with healthy teeth were also found to have been fed cod liver oil, the most convenient and cheapest medium in which to give Vitamin D regularly during the first year and up to the fifth year of life.

That these precautions are necessary is shown by studies of the selective service men, impaired and missing teeth being the leading reason for rejection. And the age of these applicants indicates that the defects began in early life. According to the statistical bulletin of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., defects occur in children's teeth at the rate of one and one-third tooth surfaces per child per year.

The results are that 95 per cent of American youths reaching the age of 15 have already experienced decay to some extent in their permanent teeth.

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IN A GROUP OF employes 17 to 19 years of age there was an average of 1.9 teeth missing among the girls and 1.6 among the boys. By the time a group has reached the 25 to 29 year period the figures are twice as high, the females always having more missing teeth by a small margin.

This is simply the result of neglect, exaggerated fear of the dentist, reluctance to spend money on teeth, and ignorance. First ignorance of the serious disability that goes with imperfect dental arches.

One specific example of ignorance which I have repeatedly mentioned is neglect of the first permanent tooth, the first lower molar. It comes in last in the row behind the baby teeth, at about the age of six. Parents are apt to think it is another baby tooth. It is very apt to decay, and should be tended to immediately. Its loss imperils the whole arch.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

R. N.: Is it important for a girl 13 to wear stockings in cold weather? She says if she wore them the other children would make so much fun of her.

Answer: I confess that this is one of the habits of the younger generation that I do not understand. It gives me a chill to see them. I should think sheer discomfort, to say nothing of the danger of chilblains and livedo, would drive them to cover their skin. Perhaps the way to handle it would be to tell her that going without stockings will make her legs so ugly she will never get a husband.

How It Started

By Jean Newton

"On Tick."

It is the inelegant, not to say inaccurate, way "lend-lease" is sometimes characterized — this same "lend-lease" which, it has been sensibly urged, to save hard feelings later, we begin now to get used to regarding as neither a loan nor a lease, but a contribution to a common cause.

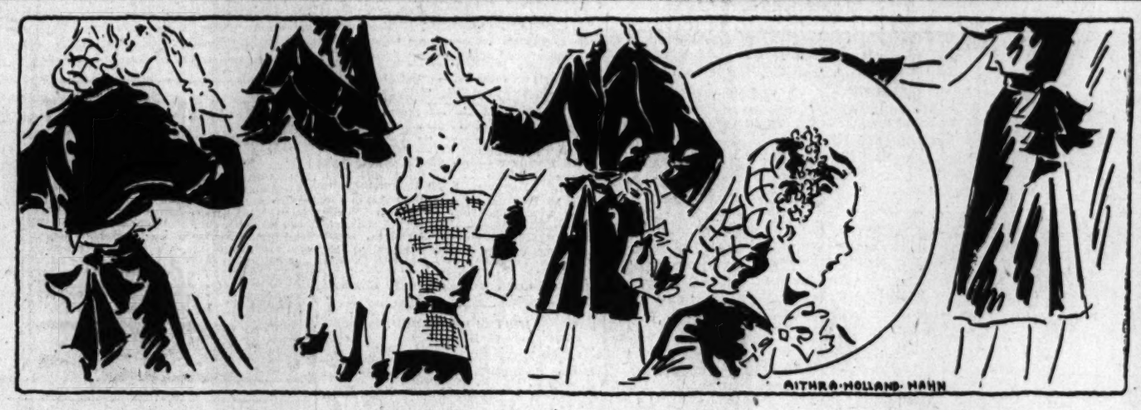
It is not, in other words, "on tick" or credit, "on tick," here, being an abbreviation for "on ticket," an old phrase formerly used in allusion to credit purchases made by a system of tickets.

My Neighbor Says:

Keep a container on your pantry shelf in which to save all broken crackers and cracker crumbs. They will stay fresh for a long time and will come in handy when making stuffing for meat, poultry, vegetables and for making croquettes.

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Fashion Trends for Spring

Designers' Ingenuity Endows Many Costumes With Dual Personality

By Sylvia Stiles

THESE designers are a bunch of tricksters and even though you watch them closely there's no telling what they may conjure next or what prophetic slants there may be to the clothes they are stirring up for spring and summer.

According to an old adage among the medical profession "the hand is quicker than the eye," and this certainly applies where the designing crowd is concerned. One minute you see a dress as slim as a reed and the next minute it has been swathed in subtle drapery. A trim little suit is transformed into a low necked and sleeveless dinner dress in the twinkling of an eye. Let the deft hand of Hattie Carnegie, Nettie Rosenstein, Jo Copeland or Joseph Halpert get hold of a piece of fabric and it becomes a costume not only reminiscent of the past but prophetic of the future.

One of the most fascinating phases of being present when the top designers present their new collections is to study the styles and to watch for hidden significances that may have a bearing on the future trends. Looking back upon the array of beautiful themes which have been exhibited, two points are especially noteworthy. One is the tricky way in which a smart creator gives double or a triple life to a beautiful costume. Another is the sly way the designers give a hint of sensational changes of the mode without a word of explanation.

So ingenious are the designers about injecting a two-faced emphasis to their clothes that the practical phase of their artistry isn't apparent. However, the woman who purchases one of these lovely ensembles which have interchangeable features will appreciate their functional qualities and realize that there's more to a label than a designer's name.

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Hattie Carnegie whose name is synonymous with elegance proves that she has more than a dash of inventiveness. Examples are her dress which has a detachable peplum, her printed ensembles with jackets that can be worn with slacks as well as long dinner skirts, her little coats that offer so many changeable features and her clever jumpers made of everything from knitted wool to shantung.

Sashes play an important role in dressing up a costume. Carnegie reaches the height of elegance in tying a floor length sash of very wide ribbon around the waistline of a sheath-like dinner dress. The ends of the sash are daintily embroidered in colors. Other designers use sashes so generously that these waistline decorations must be listed among significant trends. Bolero suits are gayer for the addition of them and summer prints look even more vivacious because of bouffant bows tied at the back or the side of the waistline. A pouf of ribbon or fabric at the hipline also is a noteworthy addition to a simple frock or suit.

Apron tunics have been with us for several seasons but they offer a greater diversity of theme for spring. These bits of overdrapery are the cleverest means of giving extra service to a dress. Joseph Halpert is a genius in handling this over-drapery, one of his smartest creations along this line being now on display in St. Louis. A basic dress that can be worn to work is transferred into a stunning dinner type by the addition of its draped apron.

As for certain hints of coming fashions, the artist has sketched a few to illustrate the trend of thinking. There were boleros a plenty in the collections but none quite so striking as the ones with a dolman tendency. Note the big armholes of the bolero illustrated. This type is used more for afternoon and evening than for street but its appearance in wool as well as silk and synthetic shows that the designers like it. Big armholes were used for jackets and coats so the dolman theme is to be watched. Shoulders cut with a drooped line, making a sleeve only an epaulet also are indicative of the change in the cut of garments.

The uneven hemline is a feature which has been discussed and generally frowned upon by those who remember it from a previous fashion period. A hint of it appeared in the upswept front line of a ruffled skirt in Halpert's summer collection. Another reminder in several collections came through the launching of draped scarfs or long sashes falling slightly below the hemline.

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IF a reminder of the uneven hemline causes consternation it is nothing compared to a reminder about the long-waisted jumper of the "flapper" era. Pronounced evidence of the return of this was noted. True, the designers belt their jumpers and shape them to a slim waistline, but there is much similarity (too much, perhaps) in the modern version and the former type.

Along with the big armhole and suggested dolman treatment to blouses goes the wrapped silhouette. Three-quarter or shorter coats girdled at the waistline with sashes looked new and suggested a coming fashion. Some are made of woolen fabrics; others are created of satin and taffeta. All can be worn loose if the owner is convinced the tied waistline is unbecoming.

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A sleek aspect to headlines is a "must" for spring. This means that the snood-like or finer mesh hair net has returned to popularity. Lily Dache is launching a hair-net fashion that seems destined to revolutionize our coiffures. Besides providing nets in shades to match the hair Dache presents a variety of colors including Chinese red, turquoise, green and pink. These shades are worn to match a tone of the hat or costume, the nets usually covering only part of the hair and arranged to suit the wearer's fancy.

Sketched at extreme right is a skirt illustrating the back swish which looks new and offers a relief from the extremely narrow lines. When a bouffant bow is added, one gets the impression that there is a new, fluid line to skirt silhouettes and whether they dip at the hemline or not, they are dashing and becoming.

One word about skirt lengths in closing. Mention has been made previously that the skirts look longer because of the long-torso silhouette and the accent upon hipline decoration. Ask the designers and they tell you that there actually is no difference in the lengths for winter and for spring, but don't let them kid you! Unless these tricksters change their minds, I'd be willing to bet my whole collection of Dache nets (pink, blue, red, green and lavender) that there'll be less knee exposure by next autumn.

Luck Helped South Make Small Slam

By Ely Culbertson

"DEAR Mr. Culbertson: Our regular foursome is noted for high, wide and handsome bidding, particularly in the slam department, but the play is usually of a high order. Here's a sample, from last night's game.

North, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

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♠ Q108 ♥ 542 ♦ J532 ♣ J74	NORTH WEST EAST SOUTH	♠ K9 ♥ 83 ♦ AKQ9764 ♣ 105
	♠ J43 ♥ KJ1096 ♦ none ♣ A9832	

"The bidding was fast, if not good, to wit:

North	East	South	West
1 spade	2 diamonds	2 hearts	Pass
4 hearts	Pass	6 hearts (final bid)	

"I was North, so I can report the play without breach of modesty. West led the diamond deuce. My partner ruffed East's queen, then, without batting an eye, led to the spade ace and ruffed the other diamond. He cashed precisely two rounds of trumps and the K-Q of clubs, then led a spade from dummy. Voila! East, winning with the spade king, had nothing left but diamonds, and on the return of that suit declarer ditched his spade jack while he ruffed with dummy's last trump. A club to the ace put South in to draw West's trumps. Six hearts, bid and made! Not bad, what?"

Not bad at all, so far as South's play was concerned. As to his slam bid, however, and the phenomenal luck that blessed his playing skill—well, those are different stories!

It will have been observed that for South's ingenious plan of play to succeed, East had to have precisely two cards each in spades, hearts, and clubs. Moreover, he had to hold a high honor in spades. And finally, to top all this, the contract still would have been defeated if East had had the inspiration to play his spade king on dummy's ace, thereby getting out of his own way. Admittedly, however, this unblock required something approaching clairvoyance.

Send bridge problems to Culbertson, care of this paper. Inclose self-addressed stamped envelope.

Cure for a Complex -o- By Elsie Robinson

GET a swelled head sometimes, don't you? And then at other times, you're so discouraged you haven't the spunk of a fishworm, yes? Ther's a cure for both conditions in the Natural History Museum in New York. They call him the Dinosaur Tyrannosaurus, and he was even worse than he sounds.

Up and up and up through the gray dusty light of the vast hall, towers a mountain of bone—a mountain that was once an animal, the most frightful animal the world has ever seen. Eighteen feet above the ground that hideous head was reared and its small, fierce eyes beheld a strange world—very different from our world of today. A quaking new world inhabited by giant reptiles that wallowed and clawed and flew through the steamy darkness.

The skeletons of those other reptiles stand around old tyrannosaurus. Even with that evidence we cannot realize that distant world for it happened 30,000,000 years ago. Try to think what it means. There before you are the leg bones that thrashed their way through primeval swamps—there are the very teeth that crunched and tore the monsters of his day—there is that 47-foot spinal column, with the bones almost as fresh as those you threw away from Sunday's roast.

Yet that beast lived 30,000,000 years ago—millions and millions of years before man was even thought of! Bit by bit we've dug up that old world from its burial place under the rock and silt of centuries. One by one the skeletons have come to light—the mark of the footprints—the record of the trees and plants—the record even of the climate. Even the child can now read the story of the world which the dinosaurs inhabited and see that it wasn't a man's world.

Men couldn't have lived with beasts like that nor found food or breath in climate like that. The earth had to come a long way before it was ready for man's frail body. How does that make you feel? Mighty small? Mighty new? It should. It's the greatest cure on earth for a swelled head, partner. But it's also a grand boost for an inferiority complex.

For that mighty beast and his terrible world have passed and you are here. You are here, Bill Jones, little and soft and stupid and new — yet heir to all that world which the dinosaur tyrannosaurus once commanded and smarter than all those huge, 30-ton brutes put together. His head would hold a young house and yours will hardly hold a baseball, and yet something burns in you that he never felt in all his titanic carcass.

Mind burns in you. Not very brightly—yet. But brightly enough to have made you king of the sea and earth and air. When it burns brightly enough to make you king of your own self then even heaven can't stop you. Be humble, Bill Jones when you look at the big boy and think how long the show went on before you were even considered. But be proud when you think of what you've done in the short time since you arrived!

Browned Fish (Crispy Topped)

One pound clean fish steak or boneless small fish, one-fourth cup milk, one-half teaspoon salt, one-fourth teaspoon pepper, one-eighth teaspoon celery salt, one egg yolk, one-third cup corn meal or flour, four tablespoons fat.

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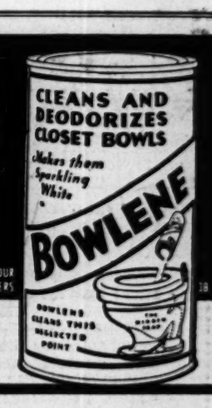
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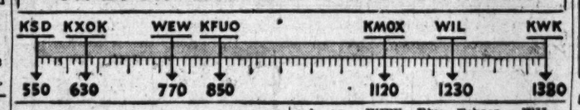
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5 P. M.

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6:30 KSD—JULIE O'NEILL AND COMPANY, Freddie Beggemann, the KSD orchestra, directed by Russ David. KFUO—Servicemen's Vespers. KMOX—Mr. Keen. WIL—Mile of Dimes; Just Relax. KXOK—News.
6:45 KSD — DR. ROLAND G. USHER, News Comment. WIL—Just Relax. KXOK — Lynnie Castille.

7 P. M.

KSD — FANNIE BRICE AS BABY SNOOKS, FRANK MORGAN, Hanley Stafford, John Conte. KMOX — Suspense. Guests: Virginia Bruce, Allyn Joslyn. KWK — Arthur Hale. WIL—Texas Jim Lewis. KXOK—Paul Nelson, comment.
7:15 KWK — Fulton Oursler, comment. KXOK—Lum and Abner.
7:30 KSD—THE ALDRICH FAMILY. KMOX—Death Valley Days. KWK—Funny Money Show. WIL—News; Help Wanted. KXOK—Town Meeting of the Air: 'On What Basis Can Russia and Poland Agree?'
7:45 WIL—Tin Pan Alley.
7:55 KMOX—Bill Henry, comment.

8 P. M.

KSD—BING CROSBY, John Scott Trotter's orchestra. Guest: William Bendix. KMOX—Maj. Bowes' Amateurs. KWK—Gabriel Heatter, comment. WIL—In Behalf of Uncle Sam. KXOK—Town Meeting.
8:15 KWK — Bob Ripley. WIL—Dance Time.
8:30 KSD—JOAN DAVIS AND JACK HALEY; Eddie Paul's Orchestra. Guest: Edward Everett Horton. KMOX—Dinah Shore, Cornella Otis Skinner, Roland Young Program. KWK—Music. WIL—News; Rocking Chair Time. KXOK—Vaughan Monroe's Spotlight Band; Story Teller.
8:45 WIL—Veterans of Foreign Wars.

9 P. M.

KSD—ABBOTT AND COSTELLO, Connie Haines, Freddie Rich's Orchestra. Guest: Janet Blair. KMOX — First Line. KWK — Henry Gladstone, comment. WIL — Harlem Rhythm. KXOK — Raymond Gram Swing, comment.
9:15 KWK—Dale Carnegie. WIL—Treasury Salute. KXOK—St. Louis Symphony Orchestra.
9:30 KSD — THE MARCH OF TIME. KMOX—Her's to Romance. KWK—News; Buddy Franklin's Orchestra. WIL—News; Sparklers.
9:45 KWK—Music. WIL — Paul Barron's orchestra. KXOK—Star Parade.

10 P. M.

KSD — FRED WARING'S ORCHESTRA in Pleasure Time with Victory Tunes. KMOX—I Love a Mystery. KWK—News From Reuters. WIL—Swing Shift. KXOK—News.
10:10 KSD—A TOAST TO MELODY. KMOX—News. KWK — Coon Creek Boys. KXOK—Music.
10:30 KSD — ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS. KMOX—Freddie and Seth; Names in the News. KWK—News; Clyde Lucas' orchestra. WIL — Weather Report; News.
10:45 KSD—H. V. KALTENBORN, News Comment. KMOX—Post Parade; Mile of Dimes. KWK—Music. KXOK—Sports.

11 P. M.

KSD — ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS; MUSIC YOU WANT; Selections from Wagner's "Gotterdammerung" and "Lohengrin." KWK—Music. KMOX—News; Musical Hour. KXOK—News; Bob Strong's Orchestra.
11:15 KWK—George Hamilton's orchestra.
11:30 KSD — ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS; DESIGN FOR LISTENING. KWK—Dance orchestra. KXOK—Beautiful Music; News.
11:45 KWK—Music; News. KXOK—Music; News.

12 MIDNIGHT

KSD — ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS; LET'S DANCE. KMOX—Al Bland Show. KXOK—Till Dawn; News.
12:30 KSD — ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS. KMOX—Mile of Dimes; Victory Patrol.

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RADIO FAVORITES TODAY

Variety and Comedy.

P. M.
7:00 KSD, Fannie Brice, Frank Morgan, Frank Tours' orchestra.
7:30 KSD, The Aldrich Family; Dickey Jones as Henry.
8:00 KSD, Bing Crosby, Trudy Erwin, John Scott Trotter's orchestra, Charioteers; guest, William Bendix.
8:30 KSD, Joan Davis-Jack Haley Show; guest, Edward Everett Horton. KMOX, Dinah Shore; Cornelia Otis Skinner; Roland Young; Bobby Dolan's orchestra.
9:00 KSD, Bud Abbott and Lou Costello; Connie Haines, singer; Elvia Allman; Freddie Rich's orchestra; guest, Janet Blair.

News Drama.

P. M.
9:30 KSD, The March of Time; Maj. Pierre A. Kleff, Army ground forces observer, just back from Italy; Enrique de Lozada, who has resigned as Bolivian diplomatic agent to U. S., with report on what is going on in Bolivia and the importance of the situation.

Music.

P. M.
6:15 KMOX, Harry James' Show.
9:15 KXOK, St. Louis Symphony orchestra.
10:00 KSD, Fred Waring's Victory Tunes.

Commentators.

P. M.
5:45 KMOX, CBS correspondents.
6:15 KSD, John W. Vandercook and NBC correspondents.
6:45 KSD, Dr. Roland G. Usher.
10:45 KSD, H. V. Kaltenborn.

Daytime Tomorrow on Local Stations

5:30 A. M.

KSD — ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS; NOVELTIES IN RHYTHM. KMOX — Country Journal; Cousin Emmy; News.
5:45 KSD — HYMNS, JOHN SEAGLE AND CHORUS.

6 A. M.

KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS. KWK—Grandpappy Jones. WEW — News; Musical Clock. KXOK—News; Ramblers.
6:15 KSD—WAKE UP TO MUSIC. KMOX—News. News of Our Neighbors. WEW—News; Musical Clock.
6:45 KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS. KFUO—News. KMOX—Dolph Hewitt and Gang. KXOK—Wake Up Time; News.
6:53 KMOX—News.
6:55 KXOK—News.

7 A. M.

KSD—ALEX DREIER, comment. KFUO—Meditation. KMOX — News. KWK—Vocal Spotlight. WEW—News; Hillbillies. WIL — Breakfast Club. KXOK—War Journal.
7:15 KSD—DR. PRESTON BRADLEY. KFUO—Hymns. KMOX—Ozark Varieties. KWK—Grady Cantrell. KXOK—Sons of the Prairie.
7:30 KSD—MARTHA MEARS and the Sons of the Pioneers. KFUO—Farm Program. KWK—Martial Music. WEW—News. WIL—News; Breakfast Club. KXOK—News.
7:45 KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS. KFUO — Marek Weber's orchestra. KMOX—News. KWK—News. WEW—Sacred Heart program. KXOK—Music.

8 A. M.

KSD—MIRTH AND MADNESS; SOUTHERN TUNES. KFUO—News, Morning Salute. KMOX—News. KWK—Records. WEW—News. WIL—Breakfast Club. KXOK—Breakfast Club.
8:15 KMOX—Do You Know the Answer? WEW—Records. KXOK—News.
8:30 KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS. KFUO—News. KMOX—Talk. WEW—Grandpappy Jones. WIL—News; Stars or Songland. KXOK—Breakfast Club.
8:45 KSD—THE TALK OF THE TOWN, Peggy Cave. KFUO—Console Varieties. KMOX—Sally Foster; news. KWK — News. WIL—Sweet Music.

9 A. M.

KSD—LORA LAWTON. KMOX—Valiant Lady. KWK—Easy Listening. WEW—News; Tune Smiths. WIL—Serenaders. KXOK—Sweet River.
9:15 KSD—STORY DRAMAS BY OLMSTED. KFUO—Hasten the Day. KMOX—Kitty Foyle. WEW—Your Social Secretary. KXOK—Food Scouts.
9:30 KSD—HELPMATE. KFUO—Concordia Chapel. KMOX—Open Door. WEW—Meet the Band. WIL—News; Dinning Sisters.
9:45 KSD—STAR PLAYHOUSE. KFUO—Themes of the Ages. KMOX—Bachelor's Children. KWK—May McCord. WEW—Markets. WIL—Weather Report; Harlem Rhythm. KXOK—News.

10 A. M.

KSD—ROAD OF LIFE. KFUO—Music of the Masters. KMOX—Amanda of Honeymoon Hill. KWK—Records. WEW—News; Let's Go Shopping. WIL—Hollywood Brevities. KXOK—Breakfast at Sardi's.
10:15 KSD—VIC AND SADE. KMOX—Second Husband. WIL—Records.
10:30 KSD—BRAVE TOMORROW. KFUO—Homemakers' Chat. KMOX—Bright Horizon. WEW—Music. WIL—News; Music. KXOK—News.
10:45 KSD—DAVID HARUM. KFUO—Music; Wartime Living. KMOX—Aunt Jenny. WEW—Catholic Viewpoint WIL—Meet the Band. KXOK—Sam Adams.

11 A. M.

KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS. KFUO — Reading Circle. KMOX—Kate Smith. WEW—News; Industry at War. WIL—Mile of Dimes; Mountain Music. KXOK—News; Just for You.
11:15 KSD—THE BANDS PLAY ON. KFUO — News. KMOX — Big Sister WIL—Singing Strings.
11:30 KSD—U. S. MARINE BAND. KFUO—U. S. Marines. KMOX—Romance of Helen Trent. WEW—Just for Women. WIL—News; WAC Program. KXOK—Farm and Home.
11:45 KFUO—Melody Lane; Vitamins for Victory. KMOX—Our Gal Sunday. WEW—Little Show; Markets. WIL—Trade Winds Tavern.

12 NOON.

KSD — ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS; Midday Melodies. KFUO—Voice of the Harp. KMOX—News. KWK—News. WEW—News. WIL — Matinee. KXOK — Baukhage Talking.
12:15 KSD—SONS OF THE PIONEERS. KFUO—Noonday Repose. KMOX—Ma Perkins. KWK—Hillbillies. WEW—Markets. KXOK—News.
12:30 KSD — ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS. KMOX—Life Can Be Beautiful. KWK—Hillbillies. WEW — Grandpappy Jones. WIL—Weather Report; Music. KXOK—Ozark Ramblers.
12:45 KSD—JUDY and JANE. KFUO—Farm Front. KMOX—News. KWK—News; Hit Tunes.

1 P. M.

KSD—THE GUIDING LIGHT. KFUO — Music Appreciation Hour. KMOX—Young Dr. Malone. KWK—John Stanley. WEW—News. WIL—Connie Capers. KXOK—News; Easy Rhythm.
1:15 KSD—TODAY'S CHILDREN. KMOX—Joyce Jordan. KWK—What's Your Idea. WEW—Let's Dance. WIL—Smart Sets. KXOK—Mystery Chef
1:30 KSD—LIGHT OF THE WORLD. KMOX—We Love and Learn. KWK—Boake Carter, comment. WEW—Markets. WIL—News; Records. KXOK—Ladies Be Seated.
1:45 KSD—BETTY CROCKER. KMOX—Perry Mason. KWK—Mutual Goes Calling. WEW—Defend America.

2 P. M.

KSD—WOMAN OF AMERICA. KFUO—Christian School. KMOX—Mary Marlin. KWK—Easy Listening. KXOK—Morton Downey. WEW — News; Let's Go Shopping.
2:15 KSD—MA PERKINS. KFUO—Hymns. KMOX—Linda's First Love. WIL—Neighborhood Program. KXOK—My True Story.
2:30 KSD—PEPPER YOUNG'S FAMILY. KFUO—News. KMOX—This Living World. WEW—Do You Remember? WIL—News; Bandwagon.
2:45 KSD—RIGHT TO HAPPINESS. KFUO—Song Recital. KWK—Easy Listening. WEW—Words and Music. KXOK—News.

3 P. M.

KSD—BACKSTAGE WIFE. KFUO—Seminary of the Air. KMOX—Broadway Matinee; News. KWK—Records. WEW—News; Moments With the Masters. WIL—Tropical Tempos. KXOK—Frolics.
3:15 KSD—STELLA DALLAS. KFUO—Salute to the Other Americas. WIL—Album Time.
3:30 KSD—LORENZO JONES. KFUO—Seal of Victory. KMOX—Something to Talk About. WIL—News; Yesterday's Hits. KXOK—The 6:30 Limited.
3:45 KSD—YOUNG WIDDER BROWN. KFUO—Search the Scriptures. KMOX—Hearts in Harmony.

4 P. M.

KSD—WHEN A GIRL MARRIES. KFUO—Musicale. KMOX—The Editor's Daughter. WEW—News; Sports. WIL—Varieties. KXOK—News; 6:30 Limited.
4:15 KSD—PORTIA FACES LIFE. KFUO—Song Recital. KMOX—Magazine of the Air. WEW—Masters Orchestra.
4:30 KSD—JUST PLAIN BILL. KFUO—The Open Bible. KMOX—The Goldbergs. WEW—Dorsey orchestra. WIL—News; Teatime Tunes. KXOK—News.
4:45 KSD—FRONT PAGE FARRELL. KFUO—The Children's Hour. KMOX—American Women. KWK — Reuters News. WEW—Treasury Salute. KXOK—Dick Tracy.

5 P. M.

KSD — ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS; TUNE UP TIME. KFUO—News. KMOX—News. KWK—Hillbillies. WEW—News; Grandpappy Jones. WIL—Hits From the Shows. KXOK—Terry and the Pirates.
5:15 KSD—TEMPOS OF TODAY. KFUO—Sports. KMOX—To Your Good Health. KWK—Sports. WIL—Music in the Air. KXOK—News; KXOK Orchestra.
5:30 KSD—ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS. KFUO—Concert Hour. KMOX — Ben Feld Show. KWK—News. WIL—News; Jive Interlude. KXOK—Jack Armstrong.
5:45 KSD—MUSIC WELL DONE, Al Roth's Orchestra. KMOX—The World Today; News. KWK—Superman. WIL — Star Parade. KXOK—Captain Midnight.

Flashes of Life

By the Associated Press.

And a Moat.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn.—Sheriff Edward A. Platt has asked for authorization to build a fence topped with barbed wire around the Fairfield County jail—but not to keep the prisoners in.

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Editor's Luck.

ABBEVILLE, Ga.—J. R. Ham, editor of the Abbeville Chronicle, bagged five quail without touching a gun.

During services at a country church the birds flew against a window, breaking the glass and falling inside. Ham picked them up.

Confidence.

TEMPLE, Tex.—The Panther, Camp Hood newspaper, reports:

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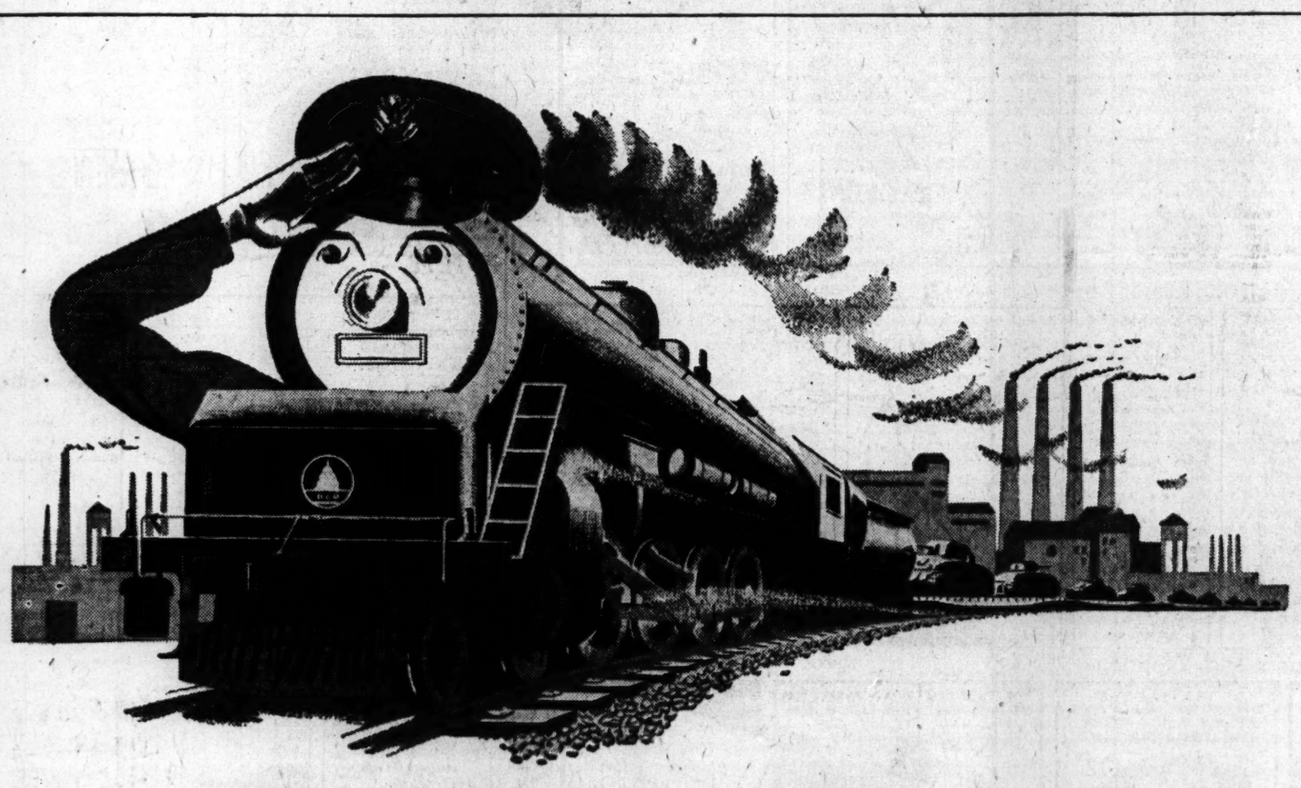
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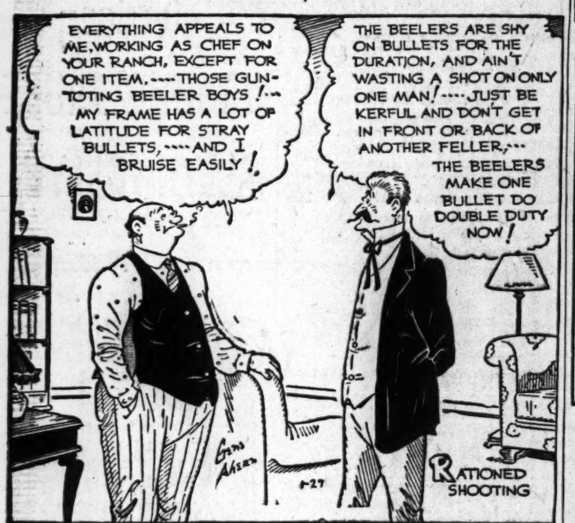


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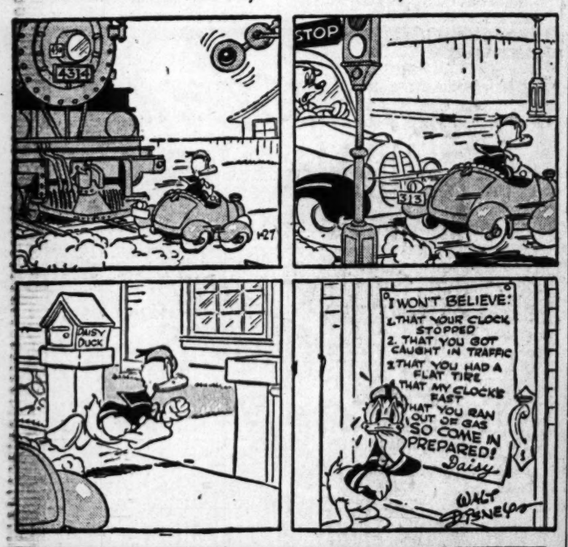
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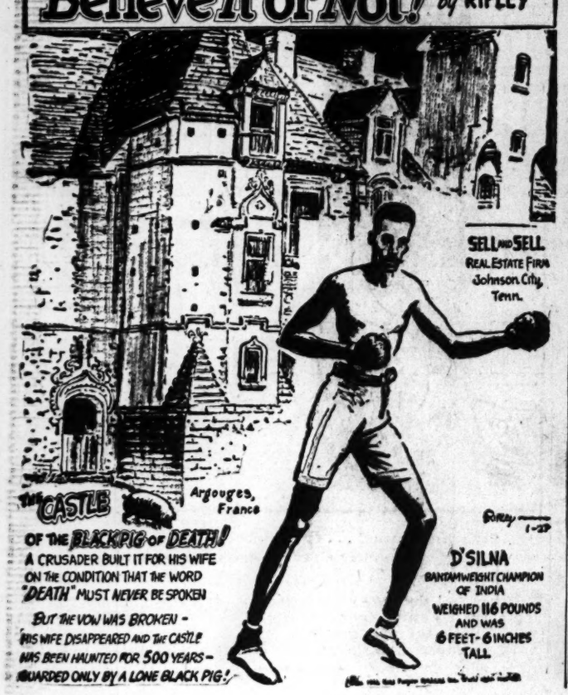
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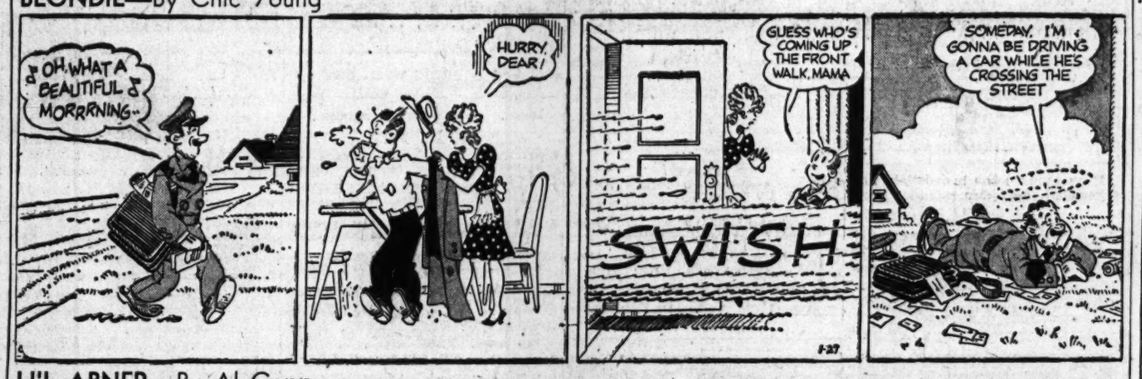
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